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GREECE IS MOBILIZING AS A MEASURE OF PRUDENCE

Action of Bulgaria in Making Military Preparations Brings Last Remaining Balkan State Under Arms—Rumania Has Troops Ready for Emergency—Result Is Problematical.

SITUATION IS EASED FOR RUMANIA

Successes of Russian General Ivanoff in Galicia and Volhynia May Have an Influence on the Next Move in the Balkans—Victories of Russians Extend to the Rumanian Frontier.

SUCCESS FOR RUSSIANS.

London, Sept. 25, 2:30 a. m.—"The battle north of Lutsk was a great success for the Russians; we took 4,000 prisoners and recaptured the town of Lutsk," says the Petrograd correspondent of Reuters Telegram company.

Washington, Sept. 24.—A statement cabled to the Bulgarian legation here today from Premier Adolfovich announces that Bulgaria does not intend aggressive action against any of her neighbors and that her mobilization is not to be construed as indicating that she is about to enter the war.

Minister Panaretov called at the state department today on his return to the city after some weeks' absence. He said Premier Radoslavoff explained his government's action as parallel to that taken in other countries adjacent to the belligerents like Switzerland and Holland, which were under arms for their own protection.

London, Sept. 24.—As "a measure of elementary prudence," Greece has ordered the mobilization of her naval and military forces. Thus the action of Bulgaria in making military preparations has brought the last remaining Balkan state under arms for Rumania, while not fully mobilized for some time, has had her troops ready for an emergency.

What plans Bulgaria really has in mind and what Greece and Rumania will do when these plans mature are still matters for speculation. One thing seems clear, however, Bulgaria and Turkey for so many years sworn enemies, have composed their differences.

The successes which the Russian general, Ivanoff, has been having in Galicia and Volhynia, it is considered in military circles here, may still have an influence in more than one way in the Balkans. General Ivanoff has been so successful that the German field marshal, von Mackensen, who is fighting north of the Pripiet marshes eastward of Brest-Litovsk, has, according to the German official report, been compelled to withdraw his line somewhat, as it was in danger of being encircled, while the Austrians have been driven back across the Styria and according to one account have evacuated the fortress of Lutsk in the Volhynian triangle of fortresses, which they captured during the great drive.

These successes, which extend to the Rumanian frontier, would, in the opinion of military observers, serve to ease the situation on the Rumanian flank should Rumania join Russia and in addition might well prevent the Austro-Germans from sending an army, which it is estimated must consist of at least 500,000 men to make an attack on Serbia.

In the center the Russians are still falling back, while in the north Field Marshal von Hindenburg continues to make progress with his offensive against Dvinsk, although at a much slower rate than formerly, as the Russians are stiffening their resistance. East of Vilna, the Germans admit a temporary check, during which they lost guns to the Russians.

There has been a continuation of the furious artillery struggle in the west. According to the Berlin official report, a British attack south of the LaBasse canal broke down under the German fire.

After a fortnight of comparative inactivity, during which they sank only five British merchant ships, German submarines again are on the move off

FIVE ARE SENTENCED TWO KATY LINEMEN KILLED AT GRANGER CONSPIRACY CASES BY PASSENGER TRAIN

PUNISHMENTS RANGE FROM SIX MONTHS IN JAIL TO A YEAR AND A DAY IN FEDERAL PRISON AT LEAVENWORTH—PRISONERS TAKEN TO VICTORIA.

NOTICE OF APPEAL GIVEN WERE ON INSPECTION TRIP

Even Should They Furnish the Bonds Set They Probably Will Not Be Released for Two or Three Months. Six Months Allowed to Perfect Writ of Appeal.

Corpus Christi, Tex., Sept. 24.—County Clerk August Uehlinger, Constable Lee Riggs, former City Secretary Tom Dunn, Henry Stevens and Ed Castleberry in the federal court found guilty one week ago of conspiracy against the United States, whose punishments were pronounced today by Judge Burns, were taken to Victoria tonight, where they will be held in the county jail pending furnishing of bail.

Sentences ranging from six months in jail to one year and a day in the federal prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, were pronounced today on the five defendants convicted here last Friday of conspiracy to defraud the United States by voting unqualified aliens. Notice of appeal immediately was given by counsel for the defense.

County Clerk August Uehlinger, Henry Stevens, a merchant, who owned the building in which the so-called "pay station" was situated in the election of 1914, and Ed Castleberry, a saloonkeeper, were given sentences of one year and a day in federal prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, and fines of \$5,000 each.

Lee Riggs, a constable, and Tom Dunn, former city secretary, were each sentenced to six months in federal prison at Victoria, Texas, and fined \$2,500.

Bonds in the sums of \$12,500 were fixed by the court in the cases of Uehlinger, Stevens, and Castleberry and the other two bonds were \$5,000.

The appeal will be taken to the United States circuit court of appeals at New Orleans and it may be many months before the final outcome of the case can be known.

Four of the defendants are more than sixty years old, and the fifth, Ed Castleberry, is fifty.

Even should they be able to furnish the bonds set, it is very improbable that they will be released for two or three months. In taking the case to the appellate court at New Orleans, it will be necessary for the transcripts to be completed and filed with the clerk of that court thirty days after the men have been released under bond. Six months is allowed to perfect the writ of appeal and it will probably take several months to complete the record.

Before sentence was pronounced each of the men were asked if they had anything to say. August Uehlinger was the first to respond, asserting that the complete innocence of the charge on which he had been convicted.

Lee Riggs, Ed Castleberry and Henry Stevens made similar statements, Stevens adding that "the evidence against me is so weak that I owned a building mentioned by a number of witnesses as a place where votes were bought on election day."

During the trial several government witnesses referred to Stevens building as the "democratic pay station."

Tom Dunn told the court he had nothing to say. Judge Burns addressed the men briefly.

"I have been criticized by some," he said, "because when you were convicted I expressed for you my sympathy. By others the court has been criticized, because I have been suggested by many men that the federal court is without jurisdiction in a case of this character, for which these men have been convicted."

Nelson denied the accusation and Pruet shouted, "Don't call me a liar. I warn you, don't call me a liar." The two men pushed at one another, but the sheriff and his deputies seized them. Nelson then hurriedly left the court room.

Pruett interrupted an argument in which he charged C. M. Barrett, speaker of the house, of conspiring to effect the death of Leggett, to accuse Nelson.

RANCHER ASKS FOR HELP.

Send Courier to Mission for Aid in Rounding Up Raiders.

Mission, Texas, Sept. 24.—A courier reached Mission late today from the ranch of Sam P. Lane, twenty miles from Mission, for assistance in rounding up a band of about twelve Mexican bandits who yesterday raided the Palpa ranch near here. Two detachments of cavalry were sent to the Lane ranch.

The trail of these bandits was struck today about fifteen miles from Mission, where they had cut fences and telephone lines and passed through the Monte Christo ranch. Continuing through this tract of land, they cut through fences and passed on into Lane's ranch. Lane reported he believed he had the band surrounded in the brush in his pasture, but as the bandits have cut telephone lines in that section communication was interrupted tonight.

A. H. HARMON AND H. W. BIRCH OF WACO, EMPLOYEES OF TEXAS TELEPHONE COMPANY HAVE A NARROW ESCAPE WHEN MOTOR CAR IS DEMOLISHED.

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The report was telegraphed to Secretary Garrison at Seabright, N. J., by Assistant Secretary Brockbridge. Department officials would not comment in the absence of the secretary, but it was apparent that the incident was regarded as one of the most serious of the many disturbances along the border.

No new orders have been given General Funston. He is in full charge of the border situation and is authorized to deal with emergencies as they arise. Repetition of such affairs as that of today may be followed by American troops crossing the border to deal with escaping raiders and their accomplices.

The matter will be laid before the state department tomorrow in order that representations may be made to General Carranza, whose troops occupy the territory opposite Progreso.

Following is Major Anderson's report:

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At this juncture four of the Americans' horses were shot from under them. Reinforcements, however, closed in on the Mexicans, and Santa Maria, including cavalry and infantry, the latter making their way in the direction of the battle by automobiles. Great delay was caused, due to heavy rains today, making roads throughout this section almost impassable at many points.

The American troops kept up the running fight with the fleeing Mexicans until the latter succeeded in crossing the Rio Grande under protection of the fire from the south side of the river. About 8:30 o'clock, after considerable cheering and shouting from the Mexican side, the firing ceased, the Mexicans disappearing from the scene. There was no further fighting during the day, according to Fort Brown reports.

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MEXICANS LOOT STORE, KILL U. S. SOLDIER AND ESCAPE ACROSS THE RIO GRANDE

FOUR MEXICANS KILLED.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 24.—At least four, and probably more Mexican bandits were killed in today's fighting between Mexicans and United States soldiers at Progreso, 35 miles up the Rio Grande from Brownsville, according to reliable reports here late tonight. Two of these were killed on the American side, it is said, two while crossing the river in boats and four others are believed to have lost their lives while scrambling up the banks of the Rio Grande on the Mexican side.

One American soldier was killed and one wounded in the battle.

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Most Serious Turn in Border Troubles Occurs at Progress, Where Invaders Are Protected by Fire from Other Side of River by Several Hundred of Their Countrymen.

TROOPERS ARE TAKEN BY SURPRISE

Private Stubblefield Steps Unsuspectingly Upon Porch and as He Does So He Is Riddled With Bullets by Raiding Outlaws from the Mexican Side—Bandits Time Their Crime Well.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 24.—The firing of arms by several hundred Mexicans on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande today to cover the retreat of seventy to eighty Mexicans who today looted and set fire to a store at Progreso, Texas, 35 miles west of here, as told of in an official report tonight by Major Edward Anderson of the Twelfth Cavalry, is regarded here as the gravest turn in the international situation since the beginning of the present border troubles.

Private Henry W. Stubblefield of Big Stone Gap, Va., was killed and Captain A. V. Anderson wounded in the arm by the Mexicans at Progreso. Earlier reports that Private Kennedy also was injured proved incorrect. At least two Mexicans are known to have been killed.

Tonight three detachments of Troops B and C of the Twelfth Cavalry are stationed in the vicinity of today's fight. Two thousand shots are said to have been fired by the Mexicans on the other side of the river while the others were escaping from the American side.

About 1000 rounds of ammunition fired by the Americans at the Mexicans as they were crossing the Rio Grande, resulted in killing two Mexicans in boats and two on land. Several more were reported hit as they made their way in the direction of safety on the Mexican side. At least one boat was pushed across the Rio Grande from the Mexican side when the band that attacked Progreso made its appearance on the bank, according to reports tonight. Probably several more boats brought to the river bank were used, it is also reported.

Seventy to Eighty in Band.

The Mexican band of seventy or eighty first attacked and looted the store at Florencio Saenz at Progreso at daybreak. While these operations were in progress, a detachment of troop C, numbering twelve men, came to Progreso from the bank of the river where they spend the nights, the days being spent on duty at Progreso. Private Stubblefield stepped on the porch of the store. As he did so two shots were fired from the interior of the building, both striking Stubblefield in the body, killing him instantly. The soldiers were not aware of the presence of the Mexicans until they fled from the place, leaving their loot behind. After rushing up the military road a short distance they turned in the direction of the river, where the detachment of United States cavalry in pursuit, both sides keeping up a steady fire.

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vicinity of the Rio Grande. No American is believed to have attacked soldiers directly, the investigation being of suspected smuggling plots and of reports that the general exodus of Mexicans is furnishing a field for rich profits for persons desiring to buy cheaply the livestock or other property of these refugees. In addition, officials which are being obtained openly, it has been reported that some lawless elements are interested in stirring up more trouble in order to cause the Mexicans to let loose of property more freely. The soldiers on the other side of the river. Reliable reports have been received that some Mexican military men in Matamoros, illegal taxes upon smuggling of livestock which is winked at. The constant "my patrol tends to interfere with all smuggling grafts."

Gov. James E. Ferguson of Texas has taken a hand in co-operating with the army by warning civilian officials that martial law under the United States army may be the result of continued reports of laxness in the administration of the responsible officials of this section has been under suspicion, but a few minor officials have been closely watched for some time. One complaint against a patrolman has been made that these suspected men are offering their services as guides or informers for the troops have given incorrect information which aided Mexicans to escape.

Anderson's Second Report.

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 24.—Gen. Frederick Funston gave a second report from Major Edw. Anderson, commanding a squad of the Twelfth Cavalry in the Brownsville patrol district, which was made at 10 o'clock tonight.

"Your telegram telephoned to me from Harlingen. Some of the Mexicans were killed while in boats crossing river and several were killed on opposite bank. They had a large force of men behind about eighty yards of entrenchments recently constructed. These men kept up a heavy fire to cover the crossing of the other bandits. Firing was mainly concealed behind brush and entrenchments."

"The number and dress of the original raiding gang were observed by the postmaster at Progreso before the detachment had been keeping up constantly outposts and patrolling both day and night, but there are long stretches of loops and curves in the river to be covered and recent heavy rains make the operations slow and difficult in the deep mud."

The report then detailed again the known casualties, but specifically listed these to two, one of them being the killing of Private Henry W. Stubblefield and the wounding (not serious) of Capt. A. V. Anderson. It was added that Private Johnson of troop B had been missing since the fight and that a search was being made for him. At the hour of the report there had been discovered no clues as to his whereabouts.

Carranza Evacuates Cananea.

Nogales, Ariz., Sept. 24.—The Carranza troops commanded by Gen. P.

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American Goods May Be Released in Neutral Ports

Washington, Sept. 24.—The way was cleared today for the release of American owned goods of German and Austrian origin now held up at neutral ports of Europe by the British order in council. The British embassy notified the state department that it was prepared to receive applications for permits to export such goods in cases where American importers had either paid for them or rendered themselves liable for the purchase price before March 1, 1915.

Vigorous informal representations have been made by the state department in its efforts to secure an agree-

ment for the release of this merchandise, worth about \$167,000,000. While the British authorities on June 15 declined to receive unofficial representations by the trade advisers regarding the shipments, information from time to time reached the state department that private interests in London were obtaining permits releasing goods from Rotterdam.

Sir Richard Crawford, commercial attaché of the British embassy, today notified Foreign Trade Adviser W. B. Fleming that arrangements for the release of goods through the trade advisers at last had been completed.

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Announcement

We wish to announce that the contractors are about through work on our new front and that we now have on display in our windows some of our best numbers of this season's fine footwear at prices that are right, and we cordially invite you to come and inspect same. It will be a pleasure to us to have you come in and try on some of these good shoes whether you wish to buy or not.

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418 Austin Ave.

ROCKEFELLER SPENDS ANOTHER DAY IN HIS COMPANY'S MINES

Pueblo, Colo., Sept. 24.—John D. Rockefeller Jr. with collar wilted and his dusty coat slung over his arm today plodded and dodged his way through the big steel plant of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company.

After a fifty-three mile motor trip from Walsenburg, the mine owner barely took time for luncheon at the home of E. H. Weitzel, manager of the corporation's fuel department, then plunged into the steel plant, his weary staff of company officers and newspaper correspondents at his heels. The rooms where half-naked workers are protected from the searing heat by blasts of cool air, the rail mill where catenets of sparks mark the course of the saw through the red-hot steel, beside the track where the steam and electric trams threatened the unwary visitor from the floor, the ceiling and the walls—through the dirtiest and most dangerous portions of the plant Rockefeller made his way, shaking hands with the workmen and asking a stream of questions of the company officials who piloted him.

The trip was not without peril, but the inspection was made without mishap save for a plentiful accumulation of dust and grease.

"What I want to know," remarked Rockefeller as he emerged from the last building, "is who's going to pay for new suits all around for this crowd?"

Mr. Rockefeller was guided through the plant by J. B. McKenna, general manager of the company, and F. E. Parks, manager of the steel plant. Rockefeller went through the company's big hospital, convalesced by Dr. R. W. Corwin, the chief surgeon.

Tonight the Rockefeller party were dinner guests of Mr. McKenna, then spent the night at Dr. Corwin's house.

GEN. RAOUL MADERO IS ARRESTED BY U. S. SOLDIERS AT MARFA

San Antonio, Texas, Sept. 24.—Gen. Raoul Madero of Villa's staff has been arrested by American soldiers near Marfa, Texas. Maj. Gen. Frederick Funston received this report from Marfa today. With Madero were eight companions, all supposed to be Villa officers who were also arrested. They were taken into custody when they crossed to the American side of the Rio Grande.

The telegram to General Funston said:

"The following Mexicans crossed the river at Talley ranch and were arrested at Glenn Springs on the 21st: Gen. Raoul Madero, Gen. Santiago Sanchez, Jose Pulido, Emilio Vasquez, Teyanin Ramon, Jose Maria Rodriguez, Raul Davila, Ramon Farfallo and Abraham Martinez.

"Have ordered them brought to Alpine (Texas) and held. It is probable they were forced across the river by Carrancistas and that some of them are deserting Villa."

Raoul Madero is a brother of the slain President Madero. He has been with Villa for about a year, holding some important commands. Several weeks ago a split between Raoul Madero and Villa was reported, but not verified.

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 24.—President Robert G. Allen of the Little Rock club of the Southern Baseball Association, tonight announced that he will receive four players from the St. Louis Browns in payment for Pitchers East and Fincher, whose sale to the St. Louis club has already been announced. The four are Outfielder Manning, and either Catcher Jenkins or Outfielder Rumber, now with Atlanta; Shortstop Clyde Wares; this season with Toronto in the International League, and Outfielder Ernest Walker, this season with Rochester, in the International League. President Allen also announced that Second Baseman Charles Starr will again manage the Little Rock club next season.

U. S. Treasury Rules on Tax on Abstracts

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 24.—By a ruling of the United States treasury department, filed at the instance of County Clerk Frank P. Newton, acting for the district and county clerks' association of Texas, the war tax on documents does not apply to abstracts of judgment delivered to litigants for the purpose of establishing liens upon property in suits. It is claimed that between ten and twelve million dollars in war tax has been paid the government from counties throughout the United States during the nine months the war tax law has been in effect on these particular abstracts. Nearly every county in Texas has been collecting this war tax of ten cents per abstract and paying it to the government as have the county and district clerks in nearly every county in the United States. At the convention of county and district clerks' association of Texas, Mr. Newton was delegated to take up the matter with the treasury department. The question now arises whether the government will refund these taxes contained with authorization of the treasury ruling reads in part:

"Such documents are held to be, in such cases, covered by the clause of the paragraph of T. D. 2087 headed 'certificates for the use of the government,' reading 'certificates of court officers under direction and authority of the court and which is necessary to give effect to the court proceedings.'"

Extinguish Forest Fires.

Grand Junction, Colo., Sept. 24.—Forest rangers today aided by a heavy rain which swept over Mesa county, extinguished the forest fires which were burning on three sides of Grand Junction yesterday. Forest Officer Walter Serfos and a force of men worked all night extinguishing a six acre fire on the headquarters of Kanah creek.

Wreck Near Sinton, Tex.

Houston, Sept. 24.—Southbound passenger train of the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico railroad wrecked three miles south of Sinton this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Despite the fact that all cars turned over, there were no injuries. The train carried two carloads of United States soldiers and these were the two cars that did not leave the track. Presence of troops caused rumors that Mexicans were the cause of the wreck, but this was proven untrue. Officers and officials of the road fixed spreading rails caused by heavy rains as the cause of the accident.

Racing Dogs Sold.

Nome, Alaska, Sept. 24.—The Allan-Darling team of racing dogs, winners of the famous 412-mile all-Alaskan sweepstake race, was sold today to Lieut. Haas of the French army, who will take the dogs to France for use in Alpine service. A. A. (Scotty) Allan, the noted racing dog driver, will accompany the dogs to France, it is said.

Dies as Result of Class Rush.

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 24.—Heart failure superinduced by participation in the annual class rush at Princeton university today caused the death of Stockton Wells, a freshman from Madison, N. J. Representatives of the four classes at the university met tonight and decided unanimously to discontinue all class rushes for the present year.

Send the Sampler With Your Compliments

It is one of the most attractive of the "Whitman" packages. It is correct for any occasion. Odd and exceptionally pretty in get-up.

With the chocolates and confections it contains selected from ten of the most popular "Whitman's" kind.

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| BAPTIST— | | | | | | | | |
| Brook Avenue, N. 7th and Brook Ave. | F. J. Harrell | 9:45-11:00 | 7:45-9:00 | 8:00-9:30 | Harry Caldwell | Mon. 3:30 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| Clay Street, 11th and Clay | O. E. Bryan | 9:30-11:00 | 7:45-9:00 | 8:00-9:30 | A. L. Bush | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| Columbus Street, 13th and Columbus | F. S. Groner | 9:30-11:00 | 8:00-9:30 | 7:00-8:30 | W. H. Gohagen | Fri. 3:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| First Church, South Fifth and Webster | J. M. Dawson | 9:30-11:00 | 8:00-9:30 | 7:00-8:30 | D. S. Dodson | Fri. 3:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| Providence Heights, 15th and Bosque | H. H. Street | 9:30-11:00 | 8:00-9:30 | 7:00-8:30 | E. W. Provance | Fri. 3:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| Seventh and James Street, 8th and James | W. W. Melton | 9:30-11:00 | 8:00-9:30 | 7:00-8:30 | L. N. McCrary | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| Spring Street, Kirkpatrick addition | McHenry Seale | 10:00-11:00 | 7:45-9:00 | | F. E. Younger | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| Third Street, near Guadalupe | W. P. Meroney | 9:45-11:00 | 8:00-9:30 | 6:45-8:00 | E. L. Duke | Mon. 2:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| Turner Street, East Waco | O. E. Bryan | 10:00-11:00 | 7:30-8:30 | | Jodie Stewart | Thurs. 8:00 | | |
| Rose Ave. Mission | R. A. Rushing | 9:30-11:00 | 7:30-8:30 | | | | | |
| Baraca Mission, Fifteenth and James | | | | | | | | |
| METHODIST (SOUTH) | | | | | | | | |
| Elm Street | F. P. Culver | 9:30-11:00 | 7:30-8:30 | | J. M. Conner | Mon. 3:30 | Wed. 7:30 | |
| Herring Avenue | A. E. Caraway | 9:45-11:00 | 7:45-9:00 | | O. Britton | Mon. 3:30 | Wed. 7:30 | |
| Morrow Street | R. P. Brown | 9:30-11:00 | 7:30-8:30 | | C. G. Sneed | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 7:45 | |
| Clay Street | W. H. Howard | 9:30-11:00 | 7:30-8:30 | | E. H. Bruyer | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 7:30 | |
| Fifth Street | D. A. McGuire | 9:45-11:00 | 7:30-8:30 | | F. N. Moore | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 7:45 | |
| Fifth Street Mexican | John R. Morris | 9:45-11:00 | 7:30-8:30 | | C. W. Hannon | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 7:45 | |
| METHODIST (NORTH) | | | | | | | | |
| Seventh and Washington | Otto Chellberg | 10:00-11:00 | 8:00-9:00 | | C. A. Ryden | Thu. 3:00 | Wed. 8:00 | |
| German, 7th and Washington | August Didzun | 9:45-11:00 | 8:00-9:00 | | | | | |
| CHRISTIAN— | | | | | | | | |
| Central | F. N. Calvin | 9:30-10:45 | 7:30-8:30 | | S. M. Hamilton | Mon. 3:30 | Wed. 7:30 | |
| North Waco, Eighteenth and Herring | E. L. Crystal | 9:30-11:00 | 7:45-9:00 | | Paul R. Winston | Mon. 3:00 | Wed. 7:30 | |
| North Tenth St. Church of Christ | C. E. Wallace | 9:45-11:00 | 8:00-9:00 | | | | | |
| NAZARENE— | | | | | | | | |
| Nazarene Church, 1505 Webster | Thomas D. Dunn | 9:45-11:00 | 8:00-9:00 | | W. H. Bokenmeyer | Thurs. 8:00 | | |
| PRESBYTERIAN | | | | | | | | |
| First Church, Eleventh and Austin | C. T. Caldwell | 9:30-11:00 | 7:45-9:00 | | J. W. Dodson | Wed. 8:00 | | |
| Second Church, North Thirteenth | E. E. Ingram | 9:30-11:00 | 7:45-9:00 | | S. M. Lee | Wed. 7:45 | | |
| Central Church, 11th and Washington | W. P. Witsell | 9:30-11:00 | 8:00-9:00 | | C. H. Carringer | Thurs. 8:00 | | |
| EPISCOPAL— | | | | | | | | |
| St. Paul's N. 5th and Columbus | Arthur L. Worthen | 10:00-11:00 | | | Hunt Jones | Wed. 5:00 | | |
| CHRISTIAN SCIENCE | | | | | | | | |
| First Church of Christ, Public Library | Arthur L. Worthen | 10:00-11:00 | | | Arthur L. Worthen | Wed. 8:15 | | |
| CATHOLIC— | | | | | | | | |
| Church of the Assumption, 9th and Wash. | E. A. Kelly | 9:30-10:00 | 7:30-8:00 | | L. Garcia | | | |
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FAUST CAFE DRAWS CROWD AT OPENING

HANDSOME NEW WACO RESTAURANT RECEIVES MANY COMPLIMENTS.

Ladies' Dining Room Occupies Most of Space—Music and Flowers Add to the Occasion.

Exclamations of surprise and delight were heard on every hand at the grand formal opening of the Faust cafe, 415 Austin avenue, last night. The new restaurant, owned by Paul and Gus, who are the proprietors, have given Waco a restaurant which is one of the prettiest in the entire south and their reputation in other cities where they have managed or owned popular cafes, promise a service in keeping with appearances.

No attempt was made to serve anything to eat last night. The proprietors, with their efficient corps of waiters, were at home to the public, while the chef and his assistants were kept busy, showing interested prospective customers the beauties of the spotless kitchen. Flowers were given to waiters, more than two thousand roses being distributed to the hundreds of visitors.

Music was furnished by Alessandro's orchestra from 8 to 11 o'clock. F. J. Alessandro, himself taking charge after the fashion festival at Sanger Brothers. The music was pleasing, the roses were fragrant, the proprietors were courteous and affable, but it was the handsome cafe that drew compliments by the score.

Along one side of the room is the lunch counter, a wealth of good things to eat behind it. All the remainder of the big room is devoted to the dining tables, for the Costas brothers cater to the very finest class of trade. The floors are done in a white tiling with a simple, neat blue pattern. The tables and chairs are dark, presenting an attractive appearance with their exquisite white napery, crystal glasses and sparkling silver, with unique little candlesticks on each table.

At the entrance a magnificent floral horseshoe bore the compliments and best wishes of Mailander Brothers, who supplied the furnishings. Handsome mirrors, with the remainder of the walls above them a delicate green, extended far around the room. Small potted ferns were placed at intervals above the mirrors and stately palms between the tables added much to the attractiveness of the place.

In one of the windows, three huge blocks of ice were to be seen, with fruits and vegetables, fish and oysters, and a large lobster frozen inside. Behind the cashier's desk is the bar, in full view of the street and every section of the restaurant itself in true city style. A young pig, roasted and decorated with vegetables, and a basin of goldfish set off the oven last night.

The Faust cafe will open for business at 11 o'clock this morning and the Costas brothers extend a most cordial invitation to the public to pay them a visit.

"We are satisfied that we can please the most fastidious," said Mr. Paul Costas, one of the brothers, last night.

Three Killed in a Missouri Pacific Head-on Collision

Plattsmouth, Neb., Sept. 24.—Three trainmen were killed and four other trainmen seriously injured this morning near La Platte, Neb., five miles north of here, when the passenger train No. 104 from Omaha to Kansas City met northbound freight No. 153, head-on, half a mile south of the La Platte station. The dead:

MIKE SHILOK, Kansas City, Mo.; passenger engineer.

WALTER GOODMAN, Kansas City; passenger fireman.

J. E. WILSON, Falls City, Neb., freight brakeman.

All passengers escaped with minor scratches.

According to the testimony given at the inquest, the passenger train crew mistook another freight train on the siding at La Platte for the train which wrecked them and which they should have avoided.

Crew British Steamer Lands.

Queenstown, Sept. 24.—Thirty-two members of the crew of the British steamer Chancellor, which was sunk yesterday and the captain of the vessel were landed here by a rescue steamer this afternoon. The remainder of the crew is reported to have been picked up by a trawler and taken to Kinsale.

When the Chancellor went down the members of the crew made their escape in three life boats.

Steamer Anglo-Columbian Torpedoed.

Montreal, Sept. 24.—The steamer Anglo-Columbian was torpedoed off Fastnet, Montreal, on September 11. She carried a cargo of 900 cavalry regiments for the British government.

German War Loan Largest Financial Deal in History

Berlin, Sept. 24.—Via London, Sept. 25, 12:10 a. m.—The German war loan raised Sept. 21 is the largest financial transaction in the world's history, said Dr. Karl Helfferich, secretary of the imperial treasury, to the Associated Press today. With a total of twelve billion marks (\$2,000,000,000) and some small loans not yet reported, the secretary said it exceeds Great Britain's last loan, which attracted much attention all over the world as an unprecedented piece of financing.

"The present loan," Dr. Helfferich continued, "enables the government to liquidate treasury bills taken over by the Reichsbank and other banks, provides Germany with money for the winter campaign and renders unnecessary the raising of another loan before March."

"Gross hitherto has raised \$1,622,500,000 and Germany \$2,250,000,000 in long term loans, whereas England's war expenditures up to the present time are hardly less than Germany's, and soon will be exceeding Germany's, for England is now spending nearly \$2,000,000,000 daily against Germany's not much above \$2,000,000 (\$15,000,000). That means that Germany is spending 25 cents per capita daily and England 55 cents."

Independence, Mo., Has Policewoman.

Kansas City, Sept. 24.—A policewoman, believed to be the first in Missouri under the new law providing for their existence, was appointed in Independence, Mo., ten miles east of here today. Mrs. K. K. Biorck received the appointment from Mayor Ott.

Bank Examiners to Meet.

Austin, Sept. 24.—The department of insurance and banking today issued a call for September 30 for the quarterly conference with the state bank examiners.

Increase in Oil Price.

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 24.—The Oklahoma Oil company today announced the price of Healdton oil as 35c a barrel. This is an increase of 5c.

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MEXICANS LOOT STORE, KILL U. S. SOLDIER AND ESCAPE ACROSS THE RIO GRANDE

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Elías Calles began the evacuation of Cananea, last night, according to reports received here today. Thirty prominent Mexican civilians, including the chief of police, were executed by the retreating soldiers, it was said.

Gov. Jose Maytorena, Villa chieftain in Sonora, announced tonight that he expected to occupy Cananea with his forces on Sunday. The Cananea mines still are operating, advices said, but all American women left there early today in automobiles for Naco, Ariz.

Governor Maytorena was reported to have withdrawn all troops from the Yaqui valley to Guaymas, on the west coast, where they are being concentrated to resist the landing of Carranza soldiers who are expected to arrive there soon by boat.

Sell Votes for Price of Drink, Declares Big Chief O'Leary

Indianapolis, Sept. 24.—Votes were bought for ten cents, "the price of a drink," in the November, 1914, election, according to Edward J. ("Big Chief") O'Leary, who testified today in the trial of Mayor Joseph E. Bell, charged with election conspiracy.

About a hundred saloon keepers testified during the day that they had contributed to the democratic campaign fund in sums ranging from \$5 to \$75.

City employees, most of whom were indicted with Mayor Bell, were named as the collectors of this fund.

Governor Hays of Arkansas Pardons President of Bank

Little Rock, Sept. 24.—Governor Hays today pardoned W. E. Talley of Rogers, Ark., president of the defunct bank of Rogers, who had been sentenced to two years in the penitentiary upon conviction of having received deposits after he knew the bank to be insolvent. Talley had appealed his case to the Arkansas supreme court and the appeal was pending when the pardon was issued. Another charge against Talley growing out of the bank's failure was dismissed in circuit court at Bentonville, Ark., this week.

NEGRO BOY HANGED.

Weights But 75 Pounds, But Neck Is Broken By Fall.

Jackson, Ga., Sept. 24.—Joe Persons, a negro boy from 12 to 14 years of age, was hanged in the jail yard here today for assaulting an 8-year-old white girl near here last June.

To the half hundred persons around the scaffold the boy admitted he committed the crime and solemnly announced he was ready to die.

Although he weighed only 75 pounds, his neck was broken by the fall.

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Race Driver Killed.
Cedar Falls, Iowa, Sept. 24.—Roy Canfield, an amateur race driver, was killed here today when his machine went over a 15-foot embankment on the twenty-eighth lap of a fifteen-mile automobile race at the county fair. The accident was due to a blow-out.

Noted Russian Dead.
Petrograd, via London, Sept. 24.—The death of Peter Nikolaevich Durnovo is announced. He had been Russian minister of the interior, a member of the council of the empire and leader of the party of the right in the council.

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Current Events

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THE WOMEN'S CALENDAR FOR THIS SATURDAY

Review Club holds call session at the Library; 3 o'clock.
Harden-Lacy marriage takes place with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lacy, Thirtieth and Washington; 11:30 o'clock.
Euterpean Club has call meeting, Central Christian church; 4 o'clock.
There will be a very special called meeting of the Euterpean club at 4 o'clock this afternoon at Central Presbyterian church.

SPECIAL REQUEST MADE OF EUTERPEAN CLUB

In the call meeting this afternoon for the Euterpean club, Mrs. Wren announces that it is important for every member to be present; also, that all who have not returned tickets taken for the Lowe recital be present with the same.

PALETTE AND BRUSH MEETS WITH MISS MARTHA MAY

With Miss Martha May hostess and Miss Julia Murphy living models, members of the Palette and Brush club enjoyed their weekly reunion. Mrs. Davis Gurley was present to enlist the club in the art division of the Children's Pageant. Other than this there was no business.

STORY HOUR TO BEGIN WITH EARLY OCTOBER

Awaiting the children's getting settled among studies and teachers, the Public Library is delaying the opening of the Story Hour series until the first Friday in October. This is the most successful feature in library conduct. The library staff will announce schedule and director in due time.

TWENTY DAISIES MEET TO ELECT OFFICERS

The Twenty Daisies, the enjoyable South Side club of girls, met this week with Miss Aileen Quicksall. New officers were elected, Miss Marie Pfaffle president and Miss Bess Shaw secretary. One or two members will be added for the winter. These will be selected at the next meeting which comes with Miss Shaw.

MRS. MILTON STRAUSS HAS HER BRIDGE CLUB

The Bridge Club is completing its former round of hostesses. With the next game the four additional members will be welcomed. For the week the hostess was Mrs. Milton Strauss who had no guests other than the club. The game favors were won by Mrs. Robert Silvers and Mrs. Al Marks.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT MADE IN TEMPLE

On Friday afternoon in Temple came the formal announcement that on October 20, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flint of Temple will give in marriage their daughter, Miss Cleo Flint, to Clarence Cook of McKinney. The celebration will be a church wedding. Miss Esse Forrester, one of the maids elect, went down to Temple for the announcement. Miss Flint has been a frequent visitor to Waco, having just coming wedding is of Waco interest.

MISS ANNA DILWORTH GOES TO GILMER

On Tuesday Miss Anna Dilworth leaves for Gilmer, where she takes charge of Kindergarten department in the public school. In the meantime, the First Episode of the Children's Pageant of which Miss Dilworth has been such an indefatigable worker, will continue. The children are all assigned, are being drilled, and instructions for costumes given. A member of the committee will take Miss Dilworth's place before her departure.

MRS. H. HAGEDORN FOR THE ENTRE NOUS

Without prizes and without refreshment feature, the two tables which make the new social club for North Fifth street is playing. This is the Entre Nous. Mrs. Hagedorn is last hostess. Her only substitute was Mrs. Franz Kryer. The club has decided to add the husbands and the supper feature every little while. The fascination of forty-two weeks will again hold, this time with Mrs. William Appelt.

THURSDAY AUCTION BRIDGE WITH MRS. C. N. SMITH

The first regular game for the new season came to the Thursday Auction Bridge with Mrs. C. N. Smith hostess. The club now numbers players from three tables but there may be added a fourth. Mrs. W. P. Killingsworth is the latest to be welcomed and it was she who won Mrs. Smith's club prize. As guests to take places of absentees there were the Mesdames Jones Smith, William Early, Nagle from Austin, and L. A. Potter. Of these the top score was made by Mrs. Early. Mrs. Ed Laughlin made the lucky consolation cut. Mrs. Charles Gooch has the club next Thursday.

HENRY DOWNS CHAPTER SECURES LIBERTY BELL

In organizing the Daughters of the American Revolution for this nation, two principles were embodied within their constitution; the one was to stimulate patriotism in youth, and the other to secure the relics and principles of the revolutionary war. Organized as a chapter in this national body, the Henry Downs Chapter of Waco has promulgated these ideas. The reclamation of the old Waco spring, the presentation of the Texas flag to the old Spring park, these and other things mark the local work of these patriotic daughters. No sooner was the intimate here that the Liberty Bell, one of the most treasured relics of our country, would pass through Texas, than Mrs. Thomas McCulloch, regent of the Henry Downs Chapter, took steps towards securing the relic to Waco. And the chapter succeeded, for Waco, at the request of the committee, Mesdames W. C. Harmon and Frank Trau, whose messenger was Mrs. Edward Rotan, Congressman Henry made formal application and received reply that should the relic be in the hands of Waco, this city should see the Liberty Bell. It was found that this could be done, and at once Mayor Riggs, as representing the official head of the city was notified, that the Liberty Bell would be in Waco November 17. So far the Henry Downs chapter is not known in preparation for the reception of this relic, that for which their existence stands, but, when the citizens of this vicinity gather to view the most cherished piece of history which Texas has ever welcomed, let them remember that the

public spirited women of Waco, the Henry Downs Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, are responsible for the presence of the Liberty Bell.

And does it not seem the kindly direction of fate that the Bell should arrive in our city on Woman's Day for the Cotton Palace?

CITY FEDERATION MEETS FOR COTTON PALACE

Primarily the members of the City Federation were called in order to take formal action regarding the Cotton Palace. The constitution calls for the first meeting in middle November, the very time when the Palace season is in progress. Mrs. Dotson presented Mrs. Marian Herz, chairman of Woman's day. Mrs. Herz requested plans for her committee and requested the individual clubs to enter floats in the parade for Woman's Day. All the clubs except one were represented, so the members are to present the request and have each club take action. If the clubs as individual bodies do not respond, the City Federation will be represented by a float. As delegate to the state federation, there was elected Mrs. Dotson with Mrs. W. W. Woodson, alternate. Mrs. Alfred Godshaw was appointed chairman of a new committee, that of Social Service. The removal of Mrs. Able Frank from the city caused vacancy as recording secretary. Mrs. Leslie Stegall was elected. The address of the afternoon was from Dr. R. J. Alexander, who presented the needs for a county hospital. This was followed by a resolution from Mrs. W. D. Wilkes to the effect that the city federation begin agitation of a sentiment towards the establishment of a hospital for McLennan county. The resolution passed, and Mrs. Wilkes appointed chairman. Music from Mrs. Wren and Miss Lawson of the Euterpean Club was one feature of the program.

THREE PRETTY LUNCHEONS OUT AT THE HUACO CLUB

Weekly Woman's Day at the Huaco club found three luncheon hostesses, and three very pretty tables. Mrs. Buford McWhirter paid an revoir courtesy to Mrs. A. M. Pribe in a combined game of bridge and luncheon. Her table had a much admired center piece, a cluster of the now perfect rose buds encircled by the graceful queen's wreath in its own foliage. For the bridge feature, there were three favors, an honor, as well as a prize for high score won by Miss Keesee of Marlin and one for consolation cut won by Mrs. Adrian Moore. Other invitations from Mrs. McWhirter were extended to the Mesdames Seth Strong of Dallas, Loretta Reeves of Moody, Hunt Jones and Keith Watson Matthews.

Miss Ben Evelyn McKie not only met friends after her long absence but took occasion to compliment the bride of next week, Miss Lucile Hill, as well as to welcome home another bride, Mrs. Lurline Moseley Harvey, now of Philadelphia. In accent to this ante nuptial compliment, Miss McKie used a plate center design, and made as her table center the bridesmaid rose buds. Her guests were other than honorees, Mrs. Leonard Stone, Mrs. M. C. Cotton and Miss Laurie Gay.

The most elaborate among the three tables was the round table presided by Mrs. Louis Stephens. This was Mrs. Stephens' compliment to Mrs. H. P. Parmelee from Washington City. The absent husband, now on a tour of battle, and the emphasis that Mrs. Parmelee is a naval officer's wife was made in quite the clever way. Mrs. Stephens wrought a miniature sea for table center and the named the battleship with lesser craft.

The naval symbols extended by means of the tri color ropes to cast anchor at each plate with name of guest. The exception was the plate of Mrs. Parmelee, where a morsel of rose and valley lily supplemented the rose bud favor at other plates. In the last course, Mrs. Stephens provided for the patriotic popper where the flag guarded an Uncle Sam cap. It was all quite unique and as implied compliment to the guest of honor, Mrs. Stephens was thus hostess to the Mesdames Parmelee, Robert Lee Henry, William Foster, Leslie Gardner, Eva, Frederic, W. A. Little, Nelson Smith, Charles Anderson, Robert Dupree, George Rotan and Edgar Witt.

WOMACK-MARTIN NUPTIALS SIMPLE BUT PRETTY

For the marriage of Edward P. Womack and Miss Gertrude Martin at the Austin Avenue Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday night a

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good concourse of friends gathered and witnessed a beautiful ring ceremony performed by the pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. P. P. Culver. Hands of friends and relatives had given appropriate decoration for the occasion and the whole service was a very pretty one.

Proceeding the ceremony Miss Olga May Fink sang "All for You" with organ accompaniment by Miss Gertrude Baade, and the wedding march was played by Miss Leta Jaynes. The bride party included Miss Lona Worthington as bridesmaid, Miss Wainwright Davenport as maid of honor, Charles Provost as best man and Roger Boatwright as groomsmen. Miss Martin was given into the keeping of Edward P. Womack by her older brother, Fred Martin of Shreveport.

The bride was attired in a blue broadcloth going-away suit, with hat and other accessories to match, and carried a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid and maid of honor carried bouquets of pink Killarney roses.

Immediately after the ceremony the young husband and wife took the Santa Fe train for Chicago, Niagara Falls and other points of interest in that section of the country. Returning within a month, they will take up permanent residence here and receive the congratulations and well wishes of their many friends. Mrs. Womack is the accomplished young daughter of Mrs. Carrie M. Martin, is a graduate of the Waco high school, attended Baylor for a season and has taught school for two years. Mr. Womack is likewise Waco-born and has been depot agent for the Wells Fargo Express company for the last five years and enjoys the respect and confidence of the business community. At the same hour that Mr. and Mrs. Womack were being married in Waco, J. S. Johnson, a messenger of the Wells-Fargo company, and Miss Myrtle Weyand of Carmine were being made husband and wife in a beautiful ceremony at the home of the bride.

As a niece of Mrs. C. C. Lambert of this city, Mrs. Johnson has visited in Waco frequently and formed a number of acquaintances who will be glad to greet her as a permanent resident of this city, following the return from the bridal trip, which is also to Chicago and other points in that section, the trip being made in company with Mr. and Mrs. Womack. Mrs. Johnson has made Waco his headquarters for a number of years and has a large circle of friends here.

Society Notes

Mrs. Harold Shear, Miss Frances Van Hook, Mrs. W. W. Cameron, Mrs. Charles Moore and Miss Kate Friend have been selected by the Kennel club to be in directing the Cotton Palace bench show.

Following her absence of a year in Austin for her husband, Mrs. Louis Fuller of Providence, R. I., who has been in the Heights will be at home in time to enjoy Cotton Palace excitement.

An out-of-town movement carries interest here. This is the business proposition of Norman Burwell, which took Mr. and Mrs. Burwell from Dallas to Akron, Ohio, two weeks ago. Mrs. Burwell is more readily recalled here as Miss Flora Sinclair.

Mrs. Mary Manton has sent the pleasing message that early October days bring her back to the Duke household on North Twelfth street. She has been absent during the warm weather in Indiana and Saint Louis.

Miss Bertha Moore, who has been singing at the Adelphi in Dallas, is now making ready for a concert tour. She returns for a visit here before this tour begins.

Our tourists returned from California bring us a new pronunciation twist for the cafeteria. This throws the accent over to the fourth syllable. Practice it a while before making the effort.

Monday Mrs. Irving Swann reaches New York City from her tour in California. She makes two visits to relatives in Virginia, and is due to arrive at home with middle October.

Who was it you said is to be queen of the Cotton Palace? And, by the way, did you tell who is the king?

Mrs. Maurice Landman in returning from the bedside of Mrs. Mose Harshfelder at Wichita Falls, reports Mrs. Harshfelder's condition much more favorable than it was earlier in the week. Mrs. Dan Wise remains in Wichita.

Take time by the forelock. Home now, and the children in school, the busy day of gift giving for holidays to come. Why not make some of those always acceptable fancy work pieces? Summer travel brings back many new ideas. Now is the time to exchange these.

On Friday the Mesdames Shel Sparks and Lon Sparks, who had enjoyed the California trip, took passage for Waco. They will thus be welcomed as early week arrivals.

If you come home with any new ideas for the Cotton Palace do pass these on to the chairmen of committees. Surely every woman knows a little something else, what is travel for? Mrs. Walter Plunkett of Columbus street is at home from visits in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Among today's departures will be Mrs. E. C. Worrell of Galveston, who has been the guest of Mrs. M. B. Willis, South Fourth street. She goes for a few days with Mrs. A. M. Waldrop in Bryan, then returns to Waco.

Mrs. Howard Mann of West Morrow is due from summer absence in Chicago and New York City today.

Mrs. Wesley Mann, who summered in the mountains of North Carolina, is again in her suburban home, Wildair.

Miss Bessie Marrow is down from Ennis for an extended visit with Mrs. Thomas Mann on the East Side.

Miss Kate Keesee from Marlin is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Loretta Keesee Reeves, Sixteenth and Morrow.

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—The new Hats are in steel grey, pearl grey, brown, green, blue and black. The Stetson "Event" is a winner, being a likable high-crown Alpine with a band of different color; it is priced at \$4.00. The "Panama-Pacific" crease is a feature of many of the new "No Name" Hats, which come in many styles and sell at \$3.00 and \$3.50.

—Stiff Hats have high taper or square crowns, with smartly-curved brims, and are either black or brown. They are priced at \$2 to \$5.

—The Neckwear for Fall involves all colors and patterns. The prices are 50c and \$1.00.

—Clocked and Cross-bar Hosiery hold the highest favor for stylish wear this Fall. 50c the pair.

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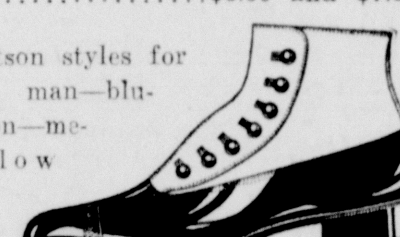
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Miss Honor Woulfe has returned from New York City. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. S. McCall, Fourteenth and Washington.

Within the next day or two, Mrs. W. A. Parker of North Fifth street joins Mr. Parker in a trip to west Texas.

Miss Frances Vickers of Dublin is a week-end visitor to Miss Hazel Spencer, Fourteenth and Columbus street.

Mrs. Fannie Collard of North Nineteenth street is on a visit to Fort Worth.

Mrs. Nagle of Austin is with her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Potts, Washington street, for the next ten days.

Red Cross to Siberia.

Washington, Sept. 24.—The Austro-Hungarian embassy today made public a wireless dispatch from Vienna stating that the departure of the American Red Cross contingent about to leave for Siberia was the occasion of special ceremonies under the auspices of the Austrian Red Cross.

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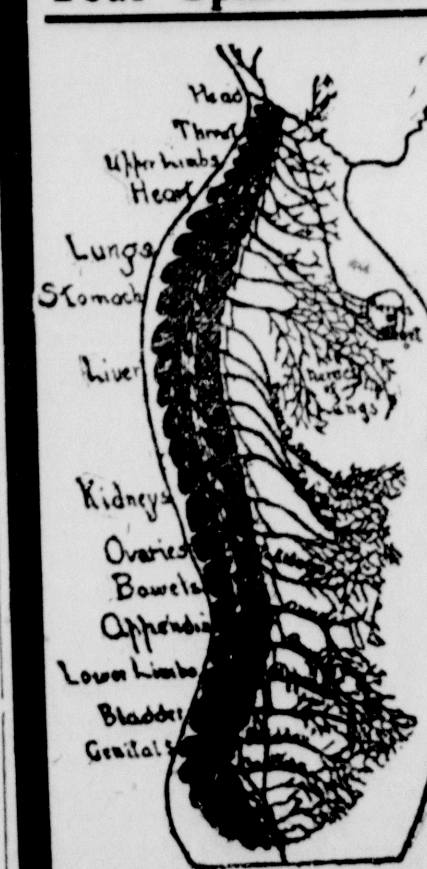
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ment.

RESTITUTION TO INVESTORS.

If it be true, as reported, that final
action by the federal court authorizing
procedure of the receivers of the Chi-
cago, Rock Island and Pacific road
against directors charged with wreck-
ing the road, was due to the weight of
argument of a brief submitted by for-
mer President William H. Taft, it is to
be said that he seldom did a better
service for his countrymen, declares
the Christian Science Monitor. Eval-
uation of responsibility to investors, plus
conservation of personal interests and
rapid growth of fortunes through man-
ipulations of funds owned by stock-
holders, make up an indictment which
men of honor hasten to refute formally
and in court. But lacking such volun-
tary action by men so charged with
betrayal of stewardship, it is impossi-
ble for the courts to sanction condona-
tion of the offense. Receivers, who
supposedly represent the court and
through it society, must act. Why it
should be considered optional or need
any formal weighty argument to con-
vince a court that it must so decree, it
is difficult to see, assuming a receiver-
ship that is square.

Commenting on the disclosures of
the interstate commerce commission
as to the manner in which this pros-
perous property during thirteen years
of control by certain men was trans-
formed from a steady producer of di-
vidends into a property with an actual
deficit of \$11,600,000, while claiming a
nominal surplus of about \$5,000,000,
the Bellman of Minneapolis truly says:
"The facts, incredible as they seem,
surpass all fiction. No pirate story
ever equalled this bald narrative of
truth. . . . Such methods as these
are the shame and disgrace of the
country." The Bellman is a conserva-
tive, anti-muckraking journal, but it
speaks for a large middle body of citi-
zens of the United States, who are not
fanatics, who are not hostile to wealth
as such, who are capitalists of the old
school, and who believe in execution of
law against all offenders. They wel-
come the test which prosecution of this
case will give to see whether the ex-
ploiting of railroad properties by own-
ers of large holdings of securities, who
buy control for speculative purposes,
has any real basis of legality, or
whether it is to be condoned by the
courts and by the business world. A
decisive answer one way or the other
will clear the air. Citizens and law-
makers will know what to do after the
courts have exposed the facts in this
case and have made the decision,
whether lax or rigorous.

Whenever or wherever it has been
made clear that bank directors must
direct, and must be held legally as
well as morally accountable for their
use of their stewardship, the banking
standards of a state or a nation have
improved. Similar consequences will
undoubtedly follow use of like disci-
pline in industry and transportation. If
honor, sense of duty, conscience and
the code of ethics of the best men in
a line of business will not check a
steward's covetousness or bar him
from using official power for personal
gain, then society, acting through the
courts, has to step in. The Bellman is
quite right in saying that the case is
typical, but not of the best or even of
a majority of the railroads. The hon-
est majority owe it to society to de-
nounce the conduct of the speculating,
gambling minority, lacking which re-
putation American railroad suffering
in reputation everywhere.

A second winter's snow has begun
falling in the Alps since the European
war began and the end is not yet in
sight.

SOME MISGUIDED ZEAL.

Senator James Clayton McNealus of
Dallas entertains just about as much
love for Gov. James E. Ferguson as
does the Hon. Patrick O'Keefe for ex-
Senator Joseph Weldon Bailey. In
fact, he loves the present governor so
little that he believes him to be a real
nuisance to the state and the rumors
are that if nobody else can be found
to oppose the chief executive for re-
election next year the Dallas senator
would do so with a little encourage-
ment.

But Senator McNealus has permit-
ted his prejudice against the governor
to becloud his mind, evidently, from
the fact that he has become so con-
fused in his ideas as to where the
support of the public schools of the
state comes from, and the pity of it
is that some other good men like the
editors of the Waco Times-Herald, the
Mart Herald and possibly others have
followed him, apparently, into the
same blunder.

In his paper, the Dallas Democrat,
Senator McNealus arraigns Governor
Ferguson for not fulfilling his pledge
to give the state a business adminis-
tration, charges him and the legisla-
ture with gross extravagance in the
appropriations for the University of
Texas, A. and M. College and other
institutions of higher learning in the
state, and with great inconsistency in
appropriating \$1,000,000 to be expend-
ed, on certain conditions, on rural
schools of the state during the next
two years, when the small apporportion-
ment of \$6 per capita made by the
state board of education for the school
children of Texas deprives the schools
of something like \$2,260,000 which they
would have received had the apporportion-
ment been as much this year as it
was last year and had all this fund
been paid to the schools, through the
full collection of the state taxes. The
irate senator concludes with this
query: "What good does it do to give
the 1,120,000 school children \$500,000 a
year, in a special appropriation, and
then cut them down \$2 per capita—a
total of \$2,260,000 per year?"

Senator McNealus evidently means
well, but he has his facts confused.
The fund with which the public schools
of the state are regularly maintained
and which fund is prorated by the
state board of education at \$6 much
per capita, does not come through leg-
islative appropriations at all. It is
formed by the income from the per-
manent school fund of the state, part
of which is invested in lands and part
in school bonds and other securities,
together with the revenue derived from
that portion of the state taxes set
apart to school purposes, which, we
believe, amounts to 26c on the \$100
valuation.

Last year was a hard year, as we
all recall, and many persons felt un-
able to pay their taxes. As a conse-
quence, the state school fund was the
loser and the state board of education
was able to pay only \$7 of the \$8 per
capita which had been promised. The
prospects are that the income for
school purposes from the state tax
fund this year will be about equal to
what it was last year. In view of the
fact that the state fund is still obli-
gated to the various schools for the
\$1 per capita which they did not re-
ceive last year, the state board of ed-
ucation will have to see to it that the
deficient dollar from last year's appor-
portionment is paid this year. This will
leave only \$6 per capita for the opera-
tion of the schools this year. The de-
creased per capita appropriation is not
due to the extravagance of the gov-
ernor and the legislature in one direc-
tion and their parsimony in another,
as the senator would have us believe,
but to the failure of the people to
pay their state taxes in full last year
and the prospect that they will not do
so this year.

It is all right to criticize the gov-
ernor and the legislature when they
deserve criticism, but to charge the \$6
per capita appropriation for the public
schools up to them is manifestly un-
fair and Senator McNealus should re-
tract his allegations. The present leg-
islature and governor have been ex-
ceedingly liberal with our educational
interests, so far as appropriations are
concerned. We think the governor has
tried to take a hand in the manage-
ment of the internal affairs of some
of the schools that is not warranted by
good taste, good politics, or the con-
stitution, but that is an entirely dif-
ferent matter.

Whitney will vote on the question of
a bond issue for a waterworks system
October 15.

Compulsory education has decreased
truancy in Chicago more than 250 per
cent within the last few years. En-
forced school attendance will do a lot
of other good wherever it is employed
and Texas will progress as it has
never done before as a result of the
adoption of this policy.

Now that San Antonio police author-
ities have ordered that all city prison-
ers must have their hair cut closely,
take a good shower bath and be fum-
igated upon their entrance at the city
barracks, The Light estimates that the
population of that generally popular
boarding place will be much smaller
this winter.

NO EXTRA PERFORMANCE NEC-
ESSARY.

Senator Stone's reasons for wishing
the president to call an extra session
of the senate a month or six weeks
before the regular session of congress
in December are not convincing, in the
opinion of the Baltimore Sun. He
wants to dispose of the Colombian and
Nicaraguan treaties and secure the
passage of a cloture rule before De-
cember so that the regular legislative
program may not be delayed and con-
gress not held in Washington until far
into next summer. So far as the Co-
lombian and Nicaraguan treaties are
concerned, there is no pressing public
reason why they should be given right
of way. Everything that can be said
for or against them already has been
said, and it would not take a day to
pass on them if the senate were will-
ing to forego its love of protracted and
tedious talk. Loquacity is the curse
of the senate, and though on occasions
it has served a valuable purpose, as
did the cackling of geese once in
Rome, it is, in general, a hindrance
and a nuisance.

If there was any certainty that a
cloture rule would result from an extra
session, the president doubtless would
be inclined to give the proposition
greater consideration. But there is no
reasonable prospect that the senate
would utilize such a session by putting
a permanent bit in its mouth and curb
on its tongue. The probabilities are
that an extra session would only let
loose an extra flood of senatorial oratory.
We are bound to have a great
deal of that at the regular session, and
we may well ask to be spared any spe-
cial and preliminary inflation.

If any real public necessity arises
for calling congress together before
the regular time, the president will
not hesitate to do so. But at present
there is no such emergency. Two
months hence the progress of events
may modify the views which we now
hold on many subjects. The interval
might more profitably be given to
thought and study than to mere sena-
torial talk.

WAR ON RATS.

After a lapse of nearly a year a
case of human plague occurred in the
city of New Orleans on the 27th of Au-
gust. This case was confirmed as
true bubonic plague on September 8th.
The epidemiological investigations as to
the exact source of the infection
have not yet been completed but it is
believed that it was probably received
in the city of New Orleans. Up to
date over 91,000 buildings in that city
have been rat-proofed and over 435,000
rodents have been captured in traps alone.

The occurrence of this case demon-
strates the difficulties surrounding the
eradication of the disease and indi-
cates that had it not been for the ac-
tive co-operative efforts of the United
States Public Health Service and of
the Departments of Health of the state
of Louisiana and the city of New Orleans,
the outbreak would have reached greater proportions and would
have been longer continued. It also
points out to other cities the neces-
sity for ridding themselves of the ro-
dent carriers of the disease and of
thoroughly rat-proofing all of their
buildings. No fear is felt that this
case will be followed by an outbreak.
Officers and men of the Public Health
Service, well trained in the control
of the disease, are on the ground and
with the health authorities of the city
of New Orleans are taking every pre-
caution to prevent the spread of the
disease from the city and within it.

The Chinese government came to
Texas after a man to teach the Chi-
nese people how to grow cotton.

New Orleans has on a vice crusade
and with the finding of twelve small
children in a disreputable cabaret, the
officers have declared that the cabaret
must go.

Persons interested in social service
can do a good thing by enlisting de-
serving boys and young men of Waco
in the proposed night school, which
the school board will establish if the
attendance is sufficiently large.

That Fort Worth citizens are both
patriotic and democratic is attested
by the fact that twelve men have al-
ready announced as candidates for the
vacant city commission, and the
limit for entries does not come until
Monday afternoon.

Taylor, metropolis of Williamson
county, has signed contracts for 74
blocks of street paving at a cost of
\$275,000. Taylor has been rapidly de-
veloping into the city class recently
and nothing gives the appearance of a
city more than paved streets.

If our friends, the Germans find it
necessary to come to the United States
for a loan before the war is over, we
have an idea the loan can be floated
without difficulty, for there are per-
sons and institutions who make a busi-
ness of loaning money and German
credit is just as good, if not better,
than that of the Anglo-French govern-
ments.

MORE TESTIMONY ON
ROADS' REAL ESTATE

J. R. NEIL OF CLEBURNE, FORMER
TAX ASSESSOR, AND O. L.
CLARK ON STAND.

R. J. Barry, Efficiency Expert for
Sunset Central Lines, Testifies as
to Locomotive's Performance.

Special to the Morning News.
Austin, Tex., Sept. 24.—Additional
testimony regarding the terminal
values of real estate owned by the
railroads was today introduced in the
advance freight rate hearing.

J. R. Neil of Cleburne, former tax
assessor, and O. L. Clark, Santa Fe
tax commissioner, made a statement
as to the value of the real estate owned
by the railroads at Fort Worth, Dal-
las and Cleburne. The railroad esti-
mate was \$3,273,400. Witnesses fixed
the valuation at \$2,448,034.

R. J. Barry, efficiency expert for the
Sunset Central lines, submitted much
deliberate testimony in regard to the
performance of locomotives. Witness
also attempted to show that the cost
per ton per mile compared favorably
with the operation expenses of the
other railroads. During one portion
of the testimony when Mr. Barry was
giving a rather extended explanation
of some of the figures Attorney Gray
asked:

"Is this a speech you are making,
Mr. Barry?"
"You may regard it as such if you
wish," replied the witness.
Judge Garwood immediately made
objection to the manner in which the
commissioner's attorney was conducting
the cross examination, saying witness
was answering the questions that were
being propounded to him.
Attorney Gray then endeavored to
prove that that witness was not quali-
fied to testify. He asked Mr. Barry
if he was a bookkeeper, engineer, ac-
countant, auditor, conductor and prac-
tically every office in a railroad sys-
tem. Witness replied that he was not.
The witness did testify, however, that
he had at one time been a conductor.

The cross examination of Mr. Barry
was postponed until Wednesday, as at-
torneys for the commission asked for
time in which to study certain figures
that witness had submitted.

Breweries Decision Next Week.

Austin, Sept. 24.—According to an
announcement today by Judge Wm. Pier-
son, before whom arguments were made
on demurrers and law points in the
suit of the state against seven of the
leading breweries of Texas for alleged
violation of the anti-trust laws, he will
probably announce his decision the lat-
ter part of next week. Judge Pier-
son left Austin today for his home at
Surphur Springs.

Falls County Raid
Nets Many Fines

Special to the Morning News.
Marlin, Tex., Sept. 24.—Sheriff C. H.
Plett and Deputy R. B. Cooley have
returned from Rosebud where they
made several raids capturing twenty-
seven negroes and whites, twenty-three
of whom plead guilty to vagrancy and
paid fines of \$10 plus the usual jus-
tice court costs.

The sheriff captured a good deal of
"evidence" with certain members of
the crowd, including a lot of nitro-
glycerin, nineteen decks of cards,
some good dust and ink used by sam-
ples for marking cards and two pis-
tols. He stated the bunch appeared
to appreciate the opportunity accord-
ed them in permitting them to plead
guilty, pay their fines and get out of
town.

Marlin Man Won't Report to Army.
Special to the Morning News.
Marlin, Sept. 24.—J. P. Gardere is
rejecting in the news record, and is
from France declaring him "reformed"
so far as military service in that
country is concerned, which in Eng-
lish is said to mean incapacitated.

On being summoned some months
ago for service, he requested to be
permitted to undergo a physical ex-
amination, and on his return from Cal-
ifornia, went to Galveston for that
purpose.

The communication received today
is the result of that examination, the
declaration being made on account of
his eyes. He has information from
his relatives in France to the effect
that he is not fit for service, and he
desires without danger of being drafted.

PUZZLING MEDICAL CASE.

Dallas Child Has But One Sense,
Sound.
Special to the Morning News.
Dallas, Sept. 24.—Unable to walk
or talk, with no sense of feeling,
no knowledge of apparently anything
but sound, a nine-year-old girl was
made a ward of the juvenile court
Thursday afternoon. The child was
placed at the county farm. The lit-
tle girl was compelled to wear a mask
to keep her from chewing her fingers
until the blood flowed. On one oc-
casion she bit pieces from her fin-
gers.

The case is said to be one of the
most unusual in the history of Dallas.
Medical science has been unable to do
anything for the child.

Turner Brothers Held.

Athens, Sept. 24.—The three Turn-
ers, charged with killing a brother-in-
law, Lewellen, and cutting off his
head and burning the body, are in jail
awaiting a new trial after District
Judge Prince had instructed the jury
to sentence them to penal servitude on
account of a witness who had turned
state's evidence had refused to testify.
On being arrested two of the Turn-
ers talked to the county attorney and
were released. When placed on the
stand they refused to testify, and the
judge ordered them back to jail and in-
structed the jury to find a verdict
against them. The Turners and Lew-
ellen came here recently from near
Lancaster, Texas.

The case of I. W. Gray and Mack
Gray, charged with the murder of R.
A. Sharp, has not been decided, the
jury still being out.

Rain Helps Ranges.
Fort Worth, Sept. 24.—Ranges are
helped, grain land is benefited but the
cotton districts throughout West Tex-
as are not aided any by the rains
which began falling yesterday and are
continuing today. Immediately around
Fort Worth the moisture is not need-
ed. Grass is high and the farmers
want dry weather to get out the cotton.
However, at points west of here the
rain is welcomed.

STYLE SHOW NEVER
ENDS AT MILLER-CROSS

CONSTANT CHANGES IN SHOES
MAKES WEEKLY IMPORTA-
TIONS A NECESSITY.

Favor of Season Divided Between
Lace and Button, While Several
Colors for Women Popular.

"We have a style show all the time,"
was the reply of F. L. Miller, president
of the Miller-Cross company, yester-
day afternoon when he was asked
about the style show as it is repre-
sented in the Miller-Cross exclusive
shoe store. "Styles in shoes change
every few weeks, so it is impossible
to display at one time all of a fall
stock. It used to be that we could get
in our season's stock all at one time,
place it on display and have an open-
ing. Now we are adding each week
some new styles that are the latest
things in foot coverings."

"What are the distinctive features
about the styles at the fore right now,
during the style week?" Mr. Miller re-
peated after his questioner. "First,
we find the favor of men and women
alike divided between the button and
the lace styles, with perhaps a shade
more leaning toward the button. But-
tons in women's shoes most popu-
lar are bronze, glaze kid and patents.
In colors the charming black and white
combinations are being largely worn
by young women. We are also selling
a large quantity of puttees, boots.
Boots of this height with the fancy
lacings are among the most pleasing
of the strictly new styles."

Shoes for men show a leaning to-
ward the English last as was devel-
oped during the last season. There
are no striking departures in men's
footwear, perhaps the only noticeable
one being the cloth tops that are be-
ing affected by young men.
Mr. Miller is well pleased with the
business of his firm during the style
show. The Miller-Cross company
handles the Wichert, the Gardner,
Queen Quality and Bliss & Perry
shoes for women, all well known and
popular brands, with a price range
that is adjustable to any pocketbook.
For men the firm handles Stacey-Ad-
ams, Edwin Clapp, Vogue and Cam-
pelli. The last named are leaders in
moderate price footwear.

The handsome windows of the Miller-
Cross company are indices of the
complete stocks within. One of the
show windows is attracting a great
deal of attention is the Queen Quality
window at the Fourth and Austin
corner. The center of the display,
which is harmoniously arranged, is a
pioneer model of the Queen
Quality trade mark, taken from the
famous painting showing Queen Lou-
ise of Austria descending the stairs
of the royal palace. About this as a
center are grouped the handsome and
more striking of the dainty footwear
styles which are designed to appeal to
the feminine heart.

S. M. U. CAMPAIGN TO CLOSE.

But \$70,688 Raised for University at
Special to the Morning News.
Dallas, Sept. 24.—In the campaign
to raise \$200,000 for Southern Metho-
dist University only \$6,238 were raised
today making a total during the cam-
paign of \$70,688. The campaign will
close Saturday night, when final re-
ports will be made. School work at
the university was begun today with
more than four hundred students in
attendance.

Complain of Dallas Hospital.

Special to the Morning News.
Dallas, Sept. 24.—Claiming that
members of the medical staff at the
city hospital will not permit outside
physicians to operate on patients at
the city hospital, a complaint has been
registered with city officials. It is
not known what action will be taken
in the matter. If a physician has a
patient and must take him to the
city hospital that physician cannot
perform the operation, but it must be
performed by a member of the hospi-
tal staff.

Dallas Woman Arrests Burglar.

Special to the Morning News.
Dallas, Sept. 24.—Grabbing a pistol
when she saw two men leave the home
of a neighbor, Mrs. E. T. DeJong, 1519
McKell street, is today heralded as a
heroine. She arrested one of the
burglars and held him until officers
arrived to take him in charge. She
chased the man several blocks, finally
he halted and she commanded him to
throw up his hands. The man had
entered the home of Mrs. Arthur W.
Forester, San Jacinto and McKell
streets.

THE CHANT OF THE VULTURES.

We are circling, glad of the battle; we
joy in the smell of the smoke.
Fight on in the hell of the trenches; we
publish your names with a croak.
Ye will lie in dim heaps when the sun-
dews blow cold on the reddening sand.
Yet fight, for the dead will have wages—
a death clutch of sand in the hand.
Ye have given us banquet, O kings, and
still do we clamor for more.
Vast, vast is our hunger, as vast as
the sea hunger gnawing the shore.

'Tis well ye are swift with your signals—
the blaze of the banners, the blare
Of the bugles, the boom of battalions,
the cannon-breath hot on the air.
It is for our hunger ye hurry, it is for
our feast ye are met.
Be sure we will never forget you, O serv-
ants that never forget.
For we are the Spirits of Battle, the
peerage of greed we defend.
Our lineage rose from the Night, and we
go without fellow or friend.

We were ere our servant Sesostris spread
over the Asian lands
The smoke of the blood of the peoples,
and scattered their bones to the
sands.
We circled in revel for ages above the
Assyrian stream,
While Babylon builded her beauty, and
faded to dust and to dream.
We scattered our laughter on nations—
and Troy was a word and a waste.
The glory of Carthage was ruined, the
grandeur of Rome was effaced.

And we blazoned the name of Timour, as
he harried his herd of kings,
And the host of his hordes wound on, a
dragon with undulant mane,
And we slid down the wind upon France
when the steps of the earthquake
passed.
When the Bastille bloomed into flame, and
the heavens went by on the blast.
We hung over Austerlitz, cheering the
armies with jubilant cries:
We scented three kings at the carnage,
and croaked our applause from the
skies.

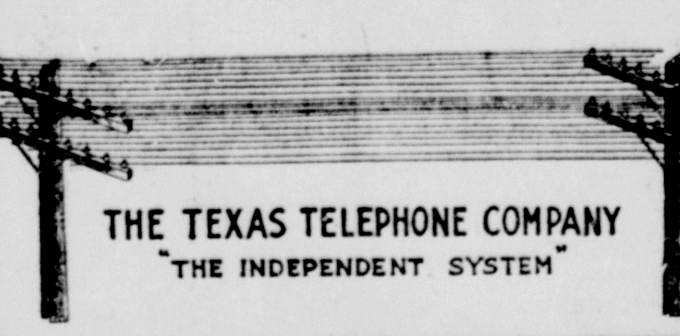
O kings, ye have entered to vultures—
have chosen to feed us, forsooth.
The joy of the world and her glory,
the hope of the world and her youth.
O kings, ye are diligent lackeys; we lau-
reled your names with our praise.
For ye are the staff of our comfort, for
ye are the strength of our days.
Then sour on the host in the trenches
who give us the sky at a stroke.
We tell all the winds of their glory; we
publish their fame with a croak.
—EDWIN MARKHAM.

The Connecting
Link

—INDEPENDENT LONG DISTANCE is the con-
necting link between your business and your out-
of-town customers. You can close contracts, make
sales, or transact almost any business over INDE-
PENDENT LONG DISTANCE in a short time and
at a small cost. A personal visit would perhaps
take all of one day or more and be expensive.

—When reducing the cost of your Fall sales cam-
paign you will do well to remember this connect-
ing link and give a prominent place on your sales
force to INDEPENDENT LONG DISTANCE.

—Our service is excellent and the rates low.



I. & G. N. to Improve Its Through Service

Austin, Tex., Sept. 24.—Material im-
provement in the through passenger
train service on the International and
Great Northern railway between Hous-
ton, San Antonio and St. Louis is to be
made, according to General Cecil A.
Lyon, one of the receivers of that line.

Commencing next year the time be-
tween Houston, San Antonio and St.
Louis will be reduced to 24 hours,
which is four hours less than the pre-
sent schedule and all sleepers are to
be made of steel.

A meeting is to be held at St. Louis
on October 4, when the details as to
this new equipment will be determined.
It is also proposed to have steel sleep-
ing cars from San Antonio, Austin to
Fort Worth.

Undenially True.

Among a squad of policemen who
were examined on their knowledge of the
edge of ambulance work was a certain
Irishman with whom the doctor had
the following colloquy:
Doctor—What would you do to a
man who had a cut on the forehead?
Policeman—Sure, I'd bathe it
with warm, soft water.
Doctor—What do you mean by soft
water?
Policeman—Och! Just soft water,
sorry, wet water.
Doctor—And what is hard water?
Policeman—Ice, sorr.—Youth's Com-
panion.

WE ARE TRYING
TO GET OUT

of the rut in the selling of the better
class of GAS HEATERS. We don't
care to follow the old rule of "stand-
ard prices for standard merchandise."
We prefer to take a little less profit
and give our customers the real value
of the oftener they come here the more
they save. Start coming today.

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Will go out on the first trip of our
wagon. We are as proud of our
promptness as we are of the quality
of our groceries and that is saying
a good deal. Don't think you have to
order a big lot in order to avail your-
self of our delivery service. We send
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NORTH SIDE of the SQUARE

PHILLIES AND CUBS SPLIT DOUBLEHEADER

TIGHT PITCHING ON PART OF
WINNING MOUND ARTISTS
FEATURES CONTESTS.

Second Is Stopped on Account of
Darkness at the End of the
Eighth Inning.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Philadelphia and Chicago split a double-header today. The contests were marked by tight pitching on the part of the winning twirlers, and equally shaky work by the losing box-men. Humphries held the league leaders to four hits in the first game and Chalmers returned the compliment by granting the locals only two in the second contest, which was stopped by darkness at the end of the eighth inning.

Chicago scored in the first inning of the opener on Schulte's walk, steal of second and Zimmerman's hit. Bunched double by McCarthy and Archer earned the second tally in the next inning and in the fifth three more hits, including Archer's second double and Hancock's error, sent in two more runs and drove Mayer from the game. In the eighth inning Oeschger yielded a single, a double and a base on balls and made a bat's, the combination accounting for the final runs of the locals. Philadelphia got only one runner as far as second and never had a chance to score.

In the second contest Keating's first error following two singles gave Philadelphia its first run. Two bases on balls and two singles came in the sixth and marked Zabel's departure for the club house. Wright, a recruit box-man, took up the task with the bases full and none out. He yielded another hit and Keating and Williams bunched three errors on Burns' grounder, the result being four runs, all told. The last run of the day resulted from three successive singles after two were out in the eighth. Chicago had chances to score in the second, fifth and eighth innings, but Chalmers tightened in the pinches and stopped the attacks by timely strikeouts. The scores:

| FIRST GAME. | | AB. | R. | H. | O. | A. | E. |
|---------------|--|-----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Philadelphia— | | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stock, 2b | | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bancroft, ss | | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Paskert, cf | | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Cravath, rf | | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Luderus, lb | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Whitted, lf | | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Niehoff, 2b | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Burns, c | | 2 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Adams, c | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mayer, p | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Oeschger, p | | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | | 30 | 0 | 4 | 24 | 11 | 1 |
| Chicago— | | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Good, rf | | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mulligan, ss | | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| Schulte, lf | | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Zimmerman, 2b | | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Saier, lb | | 3 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| Williams, cf | | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| McCarthy, 2b | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Archer, c | | 4 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Humphries, p | | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | | 31 | 6 | 9 | 27 | 9 | 0 |

By innings—

Philadelphia.....000 000 000—0

Chicago.....110 020 02—6

Two-base hits, McCarthy, Archer 2.

Schulte, Stolen base, Schulte. Double

play, Mulligan to Saier. Bases on balls, off

Humphries 1, Mayer 2, Oeschger 1. Hits, off Mayer 7 in

4-3 innings; Oeschger 2 in 3-2-3. Struck

WILLIAM M. JOHNSTON, WHO IS NOW NATIONAL TENNIS CHAMPION



The 19-year-old wonder from California, who beat that pastmaster of the game, Maurice McLoughlin, in the matches recently held at Forest Hills, L. I.

Boston Braves Go Into Second Place

New York, Sept. 24.—The world's champion Boston Braves recovered second place in the National league today by winning from Pittsburgh while Brooklyn lost to Cincinnati.

The Philadelphia, by splitting even in a double-header with Chicago, retained their apparently safe margin over their rivals. They are now six and one-half games ahead of Boston and seven games ahead of Brooklyn.

While the Boston Red Sox lost to St. Louis today, Detroit failed to take advantage of the opportunity to gain and also lost to Washington. Thus the Tigers still remain five games behind the leaders.

Removal Notice.

Drs. Colgin & Colgin, now located rooms 605-8 Praetorian Bldg.—(Adv.)

FEDERAL LEAGUE

At Kansas City— R. H. E.
Baltimore.....004 000 020—7 10 0
Kansas City.....010 103 04—9 13 5
Black, LeClair and Owens; Cullip, Johnson and Brown.

At Chicago— H. H. E.
Brooklyn.....000 000 000—0 3 3
Chicago.....000 102 00—3 5 0
Falkenberg and Land; Bailey and Fisher.

At St. Louis— R. H. E.
Buffalo.....100 000 000—1 3 3
St. Louis.....200 301 00—6 9 0
Emke, Marshall and Blair; Davenport and Hartley.

At Pittsburgh— R. H. E.
Newark.....000 100 000—1 7 4
Pittsburgh.....000 000 001—2 9 0
Moran, Kalschlag and Rariden; Rogge, Dickson and O'Connor, Berry.

BROWNS OUTPLAY THE RED SOX AND WIN

AGAIN THE LEADERS STOP WITH
A STRING OF SEVEN
VICTORIES.

Ruth Is Batted from the Box by St.
Louis in Heavy Hitting
Affair.

Boston, Sept. 24.—The Red Sox's string of successes stopped at seven when St. Louis outplayed the league leaders at every stage and won. Three times previous this season Boston has won seven straight games, only to lose the eighth.

It was a contest of heavy hitting in which the Browns batted Ruth from the box in the third inning and piled up seven runs off Gregg in the seventh. Koob held the Red Sox useless until the last inning, although Boston had several opportunities to score. After the score became one-sided Manager Carrigan called on his recruits and in the ninth they started a rally which resulted in the only Boston runs.

The score: R. H. E.
St. Louis.....4 2 3 4 1 0
Shotton, lf.....4 0 2 11 0 0
Howard, lb.....4 0 2 11 0 0
Sisler, rf.....5 1 3 3 1 0
Pruitt, 2b.....4 1 0 1 2 0
Walker, cf.....3 1 1 3 1 1
Austin, 2b.....4 1 2 1 6 0
Lavan, ss.....2 0 1 0 0 1
Agnew, c.....4 1 0 4 0 1
Koob, p.....3 1 0 0 3 0
Totals.....35 8 12 27 14 3

By innings—

Boston.....000 000 000—0

St. Louis.....001 000 700—8

Two-base hits, Howard, Cady, Haley.

Three-base hit, Hooper. Home run,

Walker, Stolen bases, Lavan 2, How-

ard, Sisler 2, Pruitt 2. Double plays,

Scott to Wagner to Gainer; Shotton to

Agnew; Walker to Austin. Bases on

balls, off Koob 2, off Gregg 2, off Cooper

2. Hits, off Ruth 6 in 2 innings (none

out in 3d), Gregg 6 in 5. Struck out,

by Ruth 1, Gregg 4, Koob 2. Umpires,

Dineen and Nallin. Time, 2:07.

Chicago 7-12, Philadelphia 5-5.

Philadelphia, Sept. 24.—Chicago won

the opening event by bunting hits off

Richardson with bases on balls and er-

rors, and took the second game, also,

driving Turner and Crowell off the rub-

ber early.

The score: R. H. E.

Chicago.....401 001 001—7 7 1

Philadelphia.....100 000 013—5 9 6

Cleotte and Mayer; Richardson and

McAvoy.

Second game:

Chicago.....425 100 000—12 13 2

Philadelphia.....000 401 000—5 10 3

Russell and Schalk; Turner, Crowell,

Sherman and Lapp, McAvoy.

Washington 11, Detroit 4.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Washington won

from Detroit, driving Coveleskie from the

box in the second inning. Johnson al-

lowed the visitors twelve hits but had no

trouble holding them in check after the

second inning.

The score: R. H. E.

Detroit.....200 000 011—4 12 6

Washington.....120 110 11—11 12 2

Coveleskie, Boland, Boehler and Stan-

age, McKee; Johnson and Williams.

Cleveland 4, New York 1.

New York, Sept. 24.—Garrett, a re-

cruit from Mason City, Iowa, held New

York to four scattered hits and enabled

Cleveland to win.

The score: R. H. E.

Cleveland.....021 000 100—4 7 0

New York.....001 000 000—1 4 3

Garrett and O'Neill; Vance, Shawkey

and Alexander.

Actual Scrimmage

by Hi Football Men

First scrimmage for high school foot-

ball material was held on the high school

campus yesterday afternoon. It was fast

and hard. That there will be many a

pretty race for positions on the season's

even was proven undoubtedly yesterday

when new men and old went into the

first actual clash in a way that meant

business.

While there are many little faults seen

by the coaches they will fade with daily

grind. What was so pleasing yesterday

was the way the men went at the busi-

ness of showing what they had, and, in-

steadily showing that they are out

really trying.

The running was good. The plays used

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4000 Pairs of Ladies' Shoes, latest novelties, in all leathers, \$3.00 to \$5.00 values, for

\$1.49 to \$2.49

The greatest display of Shoes in the city. Great values in Children's School Shoes.

CRUSHED!**A Gigantic Merchandise Movement****FREE!**

To the first 20 women entering our store Saturday, Sept. 25, we will give absolutely FREE, to the 20 women, a 10-yard dress pattern each; something nice. Be on hand early.

FREE! FREE!

To the first 20 men entering our store Saturday, Sept. 25, we will give to each of the 20 men a beautiful dress shirt to fit. Tell your friends about it.

SAVE THIS AND WAIT UNTIL SATURDAY, SEPT. 25

At 9:00 a. m. the Entire \$30,000 Stock of

BERKMAN BROTHERS

WACO, TEXAS

Of this Fall and Winter's New and Up-to-Date Merchandise, consisting of Wearing Apparel for Men, Women and Children, Dry Goods, Clothing, Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments, Shoes, Hats, Staples, Trunks, Etc., to be Sold in 15 days' time, beginning Saturday, September 25, at 9 o'clock a. m. regardless of former Cost or Value. Absolutely no mercy has been shown the Cost Mark.

If Money Saving Means Anything to You, Read This and Profit Thereby

This is not an ordinary bargain sale. It is not a dissolution. It is just a real old-fashioned, honest, straight out selling of high grade seasonable merchandise at prices far below value. Look where you will, read what you please, your eyes, your mind and your feet should lead towards this store, for so apparent will be the great money-saving benefits of this extraordinary sale event that it will pay you to investigate our statement, which will prove to you that this is no fairy tale, but facts. Sale opens Saturday, September 25, at 9 a. m.

A Great Sale of Universal Importance

This announcement is worthy of your consideration. It's really worth your while to make a mental note of, and come here to see the merchandise, whether you are in immediate need or not. A special sale of such unusual importance (at this time of the year) has never before been inaugurated in Waco.

Monarch World Standard
\$1.00 Shirts,
Crushed price... **79c**
Men's 75c Dress Shirts,
Crushed Price—
39c

We are conducting this sale under Modern Methods—where thousands upon thousands of dollars may be sold with the least exertion, and predict the 15 Biggest Sale Days in the history of Waco. We propose to give absolute satisfaction from start to finish. No misrepresentation, exaggerated statements or price juggling will be tolerated by this store. For many years the word of Berkman Bros. has been their bond in Waco. Their straightforward dealing, honesty and integrity will verify any statement they make. We are not advertising a hip-rag or hurrah sensation, but are offering first-class values; good honorable selection of new, up-to-date Fall and Winter merchandise at ridiculously low prices for 15 days only, beginning Saturday, September 25, at 9 a. m. This sale cannot help but stir the community from end to end, for this age has never contributed a commercial event of such importance—\$30,000 worth of up-to-the-minute Fall and Winter merchandise to be distributed into the homes of the people in 15 days' time.

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Pants—
Crushed to
\$1.49
\$1.50 Suit Cases, **89c**
Crushed price..

Look for the Big Signs

Get the Name Right—

BERKMAN BROS.

Let nothing keep you away

This Store An Oasis in a Desert of High Prices—For 15 Days Only

A terrific sale sending death and destruction to former prices, will bring thousands of people from far and near to attend this great sale.

You Can't Afford to Miss It

HELP WANTED

Thirty Sales Ladies
Fifteen Salesmen
Five Bundle Wrappers.
Wanted to help sell this stock. Apply at once. Good pay to everyone.

FOR 15 DAYS ONLY

The thunder of our batteries of low prices will shake Waco from center to circumference, for all the season's most desirable merchandise for the entire family is now offered on the altar of necessity without withholding anything. But if you would share in the best, you must act at once, as this sale will only last 15 days.

EXTRA SPECIAL

One Lot of Ladies' \$3.00,
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Oxfords
YOUR CHOICE
49c

Sensational Special Sales

will take place at various times during the sale. We quote a few of the first four days' specials that will be sold for a short time only. Many of these items will be sold for one-third to one-fourth less than the wholesale prices.

From 9:30 to 10 a. m.

we will sell 10 yards of good Calico, 10 yards for

25c

10 yards to the customer.

From 10:30 to 11 a. m.

Good brand Apron Gingham, per yard

4c

10 yards to each customer.

From 11:30 to 12 Noon

We will sell 10 yards of best Outing, all 10 yards for

75c

10 yards to a customer.

From 1:30 to 2 p. m.

Best brand 36-inch Bleach Domestic, per yard

7c

10 yards to a customer.

From 2:30 to 3 p. m.

Best 15c Cotton Flannel for 10 yards for

98c

Limit 10 yards.

From 3:30 to 4 p. m.

Best Dress Gingham for 10 yards for

75c

Limit 10 yards.

BELOW WE QUOTE A FEW OF THE MANY THOUSANDS OF BARGAINS TO BE HAD DURING THIS MIGHTY CRUSHED SALE

NOTIONS

Good Toilet Pins, Crushed price, per paper **1c**
Good Pearl Buttons, Crushed price, per dozen **2 1/2c**
Good Hair Pins, Crushed price, package **1c**
Good Safety Pins, Crushed price, per card **2c**
Good Talcum Powder, Crushed price, per can **7c**
Ladies' White Handkerchiefs, Crushed price **2 1/2c**

STAPLE DRY GOODS.

Best Calico on earth, Crushed price **4c**
Best 8c and 10c Apron Check Gingham, Crushed price **6c**
Best 10c Heavy Outing, Crushed price **8c**
Best 15c Heavy Cotton Flannel, Crushed price **11c**
Best 12 1/2c Heavy Cotton Flannel, Crushed price **8 1/2c**
Best 12 1/2c Dress Gingham, Crushed price **8 1/2c**
Good 8c Brown Domestic, Crushed price **4 1/2c**
Best 10c yard wide Brown Domestic, Crushed price **7 1/2c**

DRESS GOODS

All our regular 25c Cotton Dress Goods, Crushed price **12 1/2c**
All our regular 50c Woolen Dress Goods, Crushed price **39c**
All our regular 75c Woolen Dress Goods, Crushed price **49c**

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS.

All our regular \$2.25 sellers, go at Crushed price **\$1.48**
All our regular \$4.49 sellers go at Crushed price **\$2.98**
All our regular \$6.48 sellers go at Crushed price **\$4.48**

MILLINERY.

In this department will be found the latest creations in Ladies' Headgear. All this Fall's new and stylish shapes, etc. Now is your chance to buy a Hat cheap. During this mighty Crushed sale we will sell—
All Trimmed Hats at 40 Per Cent Off Regular Price.

All Plumes, Feathers, Flowers, at 50 Per Cent Off Regular Price.

LADIES' FURNISHINGS.

All Ladies' 65c Muslin Gowns, Drawers, and Corset Covers, Crushed price **39c**
All Ladies' 95c Muslin Gowns, Drawers and Corset Covers, Crushed price **69c**
All Ladies' \$1.25 Muslin Gowns, Drawers and Corset Covers, Crushed price **89c**
All Ladies' 25c and 35c Drawers and Corset Covers, Crushed price **19c**
All Ladies' \$1.00 Heavy Ribbed Union Suits, Crushed price **79c**
All Ladies' 50c Heavy Ribbed Underwear, Crushed price **39c**
All Ladies' 50c Corsets, Crushed price **39c**
All Ladies' \$1.00 Corsets, Crushed price **79c**
All Ladies' \$1.50 Corsets, Crushed price **98c**
All Ladies' \$2.00 Corsets, Crushed price **\$1.24**

All Ladies' Hair Switches Will Be Sold at 40 Per Cent Reduction.**All Ladies' Heatherbloom Petticoats Will Be Sold at 50 Per Cent Reduction.**

All Ladies' \$2.48 Messaline Petticoats, Crushed price **\$1.48**
All Ladies' 10c Hose, Crushed price **7c**
All Ladies' 25c Hose, Crushed price **19c**
All Ladies' 50c Hose, Crushed price **39c**

MEN'S AND BOYS' FURNISHINGS.

Men's 10c Hose, Crushed price **7c**
Men's 25c and 35c Hose, Crushed price **19c**
Men's 50c Silk Hose, Crushed price **39c**
Men's 25c Neckwear, Crushed price **19c**
Men's 50c Neckwear, Crushed price **39c**
Men's 5c Handkerchiefs, Crushed price **2 1/2c**
Men's 25c Hose Supporters, Crushed price **19c**
Men's \$1.25 and \$1.00 Work Gloves, Crushed price **89c**
Men's \$1.50 Work Gloves, Crushed price **\$1.19**
Men's 25c Suspenders, Crushed price **19c**
Men's 50c Suspenders, Crushed price **39c**
Men's Heavy Ribbed and Fleece 50c and 65c Underwear, Crushed price **39c**
Men's Heavy Ribbed \$1.00 Union Suits, Crushed price **79c**

Boys' 25c and 35c Underwear, Crushed price 19c**Boys' 50c and 65c Union Suits, Crushed price 39c**

Men's Coat Sweaters, \$2.50 and \$3.00 values, Crushed price **\$1.98**

SHOES FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY.

One lot of Ladies' \$3.00 to \$4.00 Low Cuts, Crushed price **98c**

Our entire stock of High Cut Shoes will be sold at exactly 25 PER CENT OFF OF REGULAR PRICE.

All leathers, sizes, styles and lasts included in this 25 per cent reduction. Nothing held back.

LADIES' READY-MADE DRESSES.

Our stock in this department is complete, in black, greys, blues, browns are to be found in abundance. Wool Dresses both for ladies and children. Big line of Kimonos and a swell line of Gingham and Percale House Dresses. The entire lot to be sold during this sale at just what they will bring. No more.

MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS.

One lot of Men's \$2.50 Dress Hats, Crushed price **98c**

All of our regular line Men's \$1.50 and \$2.00 Dress Hats, Crushed price **\$1.19**

All of our regular line Men's \$2.50 and \$2.75 Dress Hats, Crushed price **\$1.49**

All of our regular line Men's \$3.00 and \$4.00 value Hats, Crushed price **\$2.24**

All John B. Stetson \$5.00 Hats, Crushed price **\$3.98**

All John B. Stetson \$6.00 value Hats, Crushed price **\$4.48**

LADIES' COATS

Ladies' swell Sport Coats, all patterns, \$14 to \$16 values, Crushed price **\$9.98**

Ladies' Beautiful "Carmel" Long Coats, all sizes, \$6.50 values, Crushed price **\$4.39**

Ladies' newest Broadcloth Coats, all sizes, \$9.50 values, Crushed price **\$4.98**

\$10.00 values, Crushed price **\$5.48**

The very latest Ladies' Fall Coats, values up to \$20.00, Crushed price **\$9.98**

MISSIES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS.

Children's nice Coats, sizes 2 to 8, regular \$2.98, Crushed price **\$1.98**

Children's nice Coats, sizes 10 to 14, regular \$4.00 and \$4.50, Crushed price **\$2.74**

Children's nice Coats, sizes 10 to 16, regular price \$4.98, Crushed price **\$3.48**

Misses' nice Coats, sizes 10 to 19, regular price \$6.48 and \$7.48, Crushed price **\$5.24**

LADIES' COAT SUITS.

Our entire line of \$13.98 values to be closed out at Crushed price **\$9.98**

Our entire line of \$15.00 and \$17.98 values to be closed out at Crushed price **\$11.98**

Our entire line of \$19.00 and \$25.00 values to be closed out at Crushed price **\$13.98**

Our Guarantee—Any article bought during this sale not proving entirely satisfactory, or just as represented or advertised, will be gladly exchanged, or money refunded without question

Saturday is the Day, Sept. 25 is the Date, 9 A. M. is the Hour.

Mark It—Mark It Well—A Bargain Feast for 15 Days.

SALE CLOSING SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9th.

WEST SIDE
of
the SQUARE

BERKMAN BROS.

107 South 3rd
Street
Waco, Texas

This Big Sale Opens Saturday, Sept. 25, and Closes Oct. 9.

One forethought is worth a thousand regrets. Therefore this Sale should have your instant attention.

Mr. Byars said:



"One of the dairies I inspected, that of J. G. Hobbs & Co., was the finest and cleanest I have ever seen in Texas.

"Housewives and people who use milk should investigate its source."

The above is copied from a voluntary statement of Mr. Andy Byars, state pure food inspector, in The Waco Morning News of Saturday, September 4, 1915, and we reproduce it as a matter of interest to the Waco users of milk and cream.

J. G. Hobbs & Co.

Speegleville Road
New Phone 2547

Dan L. Nicholson, Distributor.



WACO FACTORIES ARE AMONG VERY BEST

WORKING AND LIVING CONDITIONS AND WAGES GOOD, SAYS INSPECTOR.

HAS MADE CAREFUL SURVEY

A. L. Garrett of State Department of Labor Finds Conditions Here as Satisfactory as Elsewhere.

Working and living conditions among employees of Waco factories are as good as anywhere else in the state, and wages are as high, according to the opinion of A. L. Garrett, inspector of the state department of labor, who is in Waco conducting an industrial survey of the city. Mr. Garrett has been at work on the survey since September 1, and will complete his work next week, when he will be assigned to some other city in the state by C. W. Woodman, state labor commissioner.

Information gathered in the industrial survey of Texas cities will be published in the form of the biennial report of the labor commissioner, and will be available to the public as a concise and truthful depiction of the conditions in Texas factories, the conditions in the homes of Texas laboring men, and the relation of the wages paid to the living conditions of the workmen and their families. Information is gathered by Mr. Garrett as to wages and working conditions, the hours, etc., from all workers classified under occupations. In his inspection of factories, defects in safety or sanitary equipment are noted, and orders issued for such to be remedied. Records of these orders are kept and sent to the state department, which uses the police powers of the state to see that they are obeyed. The workmen's compensation law has increased the need of inspection, according to Mr. Garrett.

Living conditions of the families of working men are reported on comprehensive blanks which heads of families are requested to fill in. All information gathered in this manner is treated as strictly confidential, a state law providing a fine of \$500 upon any employee of the department who shall divulge names or information contained in the blanks.

Data on State Labor Laws.
Inspectors of the department making the industrial survey are also required to report violations of the various state laws affecting labor, such as the 54-hour law for female workers, the 8-hour law for public work, the derelict law, etc.

The state department of labor is especially active in promoting the Buy-Made-in-Texas movement, according to Mr. Garrett. Representatives of the department are charged by Commissioner Woodman to boost the movement whenever possible. Commissioner Woodman was one of the leading spirits in organizing the Buy-Made-in-Texas association at Fort Worth several months ago.

In Waco Mr. Garrett is especially interested in the possibilities of turning the old Slayden-Kirksey woolen mills into a factory for the manufacture of blankets. He presented this matter to the directors of the Young Men's Business League at their meeting last Tuesday night. There is a great demand for blankets, says Mr. Garrett, and Texas has an abundance of raw material. As yet he sees no reason why the idle machinery in the woolen mills here could not be put to work turning out blankets for which there is a great demand and which bring good prices. The more factories we build in Texas the more profits we make out of our inexhaustible supply of raw materials," says Mr. Garrett.

DOUBLE I. & G. N. SERVICE

Effective Oct. 3, Two Trains Each Way Daily Will Be Operated, Greatly Benefiting Cargo.

Effective Oct. 3, double daily passenger service on the I. & G. N. through Waco will be resumed, according to announcement made at the district offices of the road here yesterday. Southbound trains from Fort Worth to San Antonio and Houston will pass through Waco about 10:30 a. m. and 11 p. m. Northbound trains over the same division will pass through 6:30 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Advantages afforded by the resumption of the double daily service to towns in Waco trade territory cannot be overestimated and are the same that have been contended for by the Young Men's Business League and the citizens of the various towns on the I. & G. N. near Waco since the double service was discontinued several months ago. Persons living on the I. & G. N. north of Waco will be able to take the morning train due at Waco about 10:30 a. m. to their shopping here and return on the northbound train which will leave here about 4 in the afternoon. In the same way persons living on the road south will be able to come in on the early morning train which will reach Waco about 6:30 a. m. to their shopping, visit the theatres or the Cotton Palace and return on the train which will leave at 11 o'clock at night.

Exact figures of the schedule will be announced within the next few days, but will be substantially the same as given above. The northbound train to Fort Worth passing here at 6:30 a. m. will be a fast train, making only about two stops between Waco and the North Texas city. The returning train, which will pass through Waco at 11 p. m., will also be a fast train.

Through sleeping cars between Fort Worth, San Antonio and Houston will be carried on the fast trains.

Improvements at Athens.
Athens, Sept. 24.—The city council has authorized the issuance of script for the purpose of paving the public square. Bids are now being received for the work. A lot of work is now being done on the streets in the various parts of the town.

The Cotton Belt railroad is placing a new switch to the cotton warehouse of H. F. Underwood & Co. The warehouse facilities are being greatly increased.

HIPPODROME

Today Farewell Times

Wm. Fox

Maker of the most Sensational Moving Pictures, Offers the Successor to

"A FOOL THERE WAS"

IN

"The REGENERATION"

SIX REELS OF SENSATIONALISM THAT WILL LAST FOR AGES

A powerful and magnificent picturization of the dramatization of Owen Kildare's undying romantic and tragic story, "My Mamie Rose." Acclaimed by public and critics the latest great screen triumph.

If You Live Within Ten Miles of Waco Don't Miss this Opportunity

Matinee Prices 10c; Night Prices 10c or 20c, or 8c Sold in \$4.00 Books.

Coming Monday—Harold Lockwood—in

"The House of a Thousand Scandals"

WALK-OVER FEATURES

CHILDREN'S SHOES

"The Regeneration." Owen Kildare is the author of "The Regeneration," the attraction at the Hippodrome today only.

Owen Kildare, who wrote the latest William Fox success was a real man and that is his real name. The writer of this article knew him when he was a bouncer in the frightful dive to which he refers in "My Mamie Rose," from which the William Fox screen play, "The Regeneration," was made and which play upon the stage was Arnold Daly's greatest success. Glance at the epitome of his life and wonder.

1864—Born in Catherine street, New York. Orphaned in his infancy and adopted by a childless couple.

1870—Became a newsboy in the gang of which Timothy D. Sullivan was the leader and learned to fend for himself in the New York streets.

1880—A "beer slinger" in a tough brewery dive and a pugilist of more than local fame. His brutality made him famous even in competition with the most brutal of fighters.

1894—Met the little school teacher through protecting her from insult, who taught him to read and write and made a man of him.

1895—Left the dives where he made from sixty to eighty dollars a week and went to work for eight dollars to earn an honest living, inspired by "My Mamie Rose."

1900—The little school teacher died a month before they were to be married.

1902—Became a newspaper writer and a contributor to magazines whose work was in constant demand—and this was a man who never read or wrote a line till he was thirty years old.

One of the hardest stunts ever attempted on the legitimate stage or on the screen is carried out by William Sheer, who plays "Skinny, the Rat" in "The Regeneration," which great feature picture is now being presented by William Fox. During his appearance before the camera, Mr. Sheer has to appear blind in one eye. In order to make his appearance perfectly realistic, Mr. Walsh, the director, insisted that Mr. Sheer glue his eye-lids together. The result is very natural and very striking. But it is exceedingly uncomfortable to Mr. Sheer. Especially as the picture was made in an open air studio during some of the hottest July and August days.

When it is known that the young actor has to glue his eye-lids together at 9 o'clock in the morning and remain in that condition until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, day after day, one can partly realize what he went through. One evening after getting his eye open, he could not see well and tripped over a curb. He was thrown violently on his face and narrowly escaped serious injury.

No. 860.
Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the
FIRST STATE BANK

at Hewitt, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 2nd day of September, 1915, published in the Waco Morning News, a newspaper printed and published at Waco, State of Texas, on the 25th day of September, 1915.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts, personal or collateral \$11,635.80
Loans, real estate, subject to 707.78
Overdrafts 42.93
Real estate (banking house) 1,754.20
Furniture and fixtures 1,365.35
Due from approved reserve agents, net 837.43
Cash items \$58.07
Currency 623.00
Specie 167.08
Interest in guaranty fund 105.60
Other resources as follows: 18.37
Assessments to guaranty fund.. 279.19
Net resource account \$17,594.83

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in \$10,000.00
Individual deposits, subject to check 6,094.83
Bills payable and rediscounts .. 1,500.00
Total \$17,594.83

Total \$17,594.83
State of Texas, County of McLennan.
G. M. French as president and
G. M. French as cashier of said bank,
each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

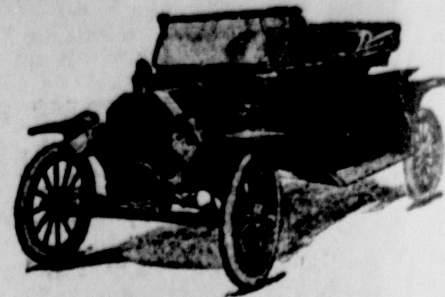
W. D. CHAPMAN, President.
G. M. FRENCH, Cashier.

CORRECT ATTEST:
M. C. CHAPMAN,
F. M. SEGO, Directors
Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 16th day of September, A. D. 1915.
(Seal)
H. L. TAYLOR,
Notary Public, McLennan County, Tex.

Send Your "Baby" to the

Kids' Matinee

This morning. Hours 10 O'clock and 11. Program, circus picture, "THE FLYING TWINS"



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That odd shaped wheel is the remarkable

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Call 613 N. P. for demonstration.

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Hillsboro
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Dallas

Summer Tourists

VIA



Commencing June 1, Limited to Oct. 31, 1915

We will sell Summer Tourist Tickets to points in Southeast, East and other points. Liberal stopovers.

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C. P. AND T. A.

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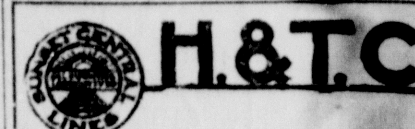
Gulf Coast Resorts

Best Reached Via the

S. A. & A. P.
Railway

Round Trip Rates from Waco are as follows:

Corpus Christi \$12.00
Arkansas Pass \$12.00
Rockport \$12.00
Brownsville (Via Sinton) \$18.00
Brownsville (Via Corpus Christi) \$18.95
Limit 90 Days.



NEW YORK AND RETURN

(All rail)

\$59.50

Selling daily to Sept. 30th. Limited Oct. 31st, 1915.

Friday, Sept. 24th.

GALVESTON AND RETURN \$8.00

Limited ten days from date of sale.

Selling Daily, Galveston and Return \$9.35

Limited October 31st, 1915.

Phones 218, Office 112 S. 4th St. H. & T. C.

THE FALL SEASON

Has begun. We have received our new line of Fall Goods in all staple and fancy patterns. By selecting your Fall clothes now before the rush, you will have the advantage of seeing a full stock before it is picked over. Our clothes are well known for their fit, workmanship and design.

Yours for good and reliable tailoring.

MIKE ADAM

"THE TAILOR"

121 South Fourth St.

Tietz Hotel

Rooms 50c and 75c. Meals 25c.

Rooms by week, \$2.50 and up.

Room and board by week, \$5.00 up.

Home cooking. Special rates by week.

808 Jackson.

Cherry Hotel

Rooms 50c and up. Meals 25c.

Home cooking. Special rates by week.

808 Jackson.

CITY VOTES TO PAY EXPENSE OF BAND TO HILLSBORO FAIR

The city commission, at its adjourned meeting last night, agreed to pay \$25 toward a band for the Y. M. B. L. trip to the opening of the Hill county fair at Hillsboro, next Tuesday, providing City Attorney John Maxwell ruled that it could legally be done. It is planned to take a big crowd from Waco and to boost Waco and the Cotton Palace, and the commissioners decided that it would be good advertising. Commissioners Dolins, Dunkin and Cockcroft voted for the proposition, Commissioner Richards against it.

Whether or not the Waco fire department should be placed on a paid basis entirely was discussed at considerable length, Mayor Higgins recommending that such action be taken, submitting with his recommendation a letter received from Fire Insurance Commissioner Andrews, fuller details of which are given elsewhere.

Adjournment was then taken, but Mayor Higgins and the commissioners remained in the commission chamber until a late hour, threshing out the budget for the coming fiscal year.

Special Master's Degree on Tonight

Mention has been made in these columns that the Scottish Rite Honorary 33rd degree team of Dallas wanted to come to Waco tonight to confer the Master's degree in Waco lodge No. 92, A. F. & A. M. The lodge here extended them a hearty invitation to come and confer this degree and they are now in receipt of an answer stating that they were coming and would bring their entire regalia with them.

Invitations have been sent to the Masonic lodges at McGregor, Mart and West and it is expected that a large representation will appear from these places.

To finish the program of the evening, the inner part of man will not be forgotten, for the ladies of the Order of the Eastern Star are going to furnish ample refreshments.

Americans Leave Mexico.
Guaymas, Sonora, by Wireless to San Diego, Cal., Sept. 24.—About thirty Americans, all but three from in and near Hermosillo, the capital of Sonora, gathered here today to sail on the American steamer Carlos for the United States.

Reinforcements of about 500 Villa troops were expected to arrive here soon from the south.

No disorders in the Yaqui valley southeast of here or near here have been reported recently.

See Flood Plumbing Co. for Glow Gas Stoves, Radiators for home heating. Phones 306.—Adv.

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Let white men do your work.

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Boys Wanted With Wheels

Good Pay, Steady Employment

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VOTING BALLOT

Series No. 6

Void After Oct. 7

Good for 5 votes for undersigned candidate in Waco Morning News Popular Voting Contest.

Candidate

Address

District No.

This ballot must be cast before expiration date, otherwise it will become void. Do not roll, wad or fold. Clip close to the margin and mail or send to Contest Editor, Waco Morning News, Waco, Texas.

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J. S. HILL, President

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Are growing more and more into the hearts of Waco's Grocery buyers each day. The proposition submitted by our stores may be summed up in a very few words, but volumes could be written on the advantages which accrue to those who buy for Cash. It is interesting to read about them, but more interesting to realize them.

Visit a Cash Mercantile Store Today

GREAT SATURDAY SPECIALS!

| | | | |
|--|----|---|----|
| California Evaporated Peaches, regular 12 1/2c value, lb. | 6c | No. 2 Baltimore Blackberries, Regular 10c value, can | 6c |
| Limit 5 lbs. | | Limit 5 Cans. | |
| Extra Fancy Santos Peaberry Coffee, regular 30c value— | | A Solid Car Colorado Cabbage, lb. | 2c |
| 6 lbs. 3 lbs. 43c | | Limit 10 lbs. | |
| 11-2 lbs. 24c 1 lb. 16c | | | |
| Limit 6 lbs. | | | |
| FRESH VEGETABLES | | FRESH FRUIT | |
| Tomatoes, lb. 9c | | Bananas, Grapes, Apples, at Cash Mercantile Prices. | |
| Celery, Bunch 6c | | | |
| Lettuce, Bunch 6c | | PUMPKIN YAM SWEET POTATOES | |
| Snap Beans, lb. 5c | | On Sale at all Stores. | |
| At all our 22 Stores. | | | |
| FRESH BREAD, Loaf, 4c | | JITNEY ROLLS, Dozen, 4c | |

Blue Valley Butter

1 lb. 34c 1-2 lb. 18c 1-4 lb. 09c
Fresh Churned Daily. Made from Pasteurized Cream in the Famous Northern Creameries and sold exclusively by our 22 Stores.

Cash Mercantile Co.

Main Store and Office 403 S. Third St. Either Phone 219

Rae-Grimland Front Completed; Windows Arranged

Although the McRae-Grimland company moved into its new home at 418 S. Third street several weeks ago, it was not until last night that the handsome new show windows were completed. The members of the firm worked until a late hour last night arranging the display of Selz Royal shoes, which will greet the eyes of all observers this morning. The McRae-Grimland store is now one of the handsomest shoe emporiums in the southwest. A handsome interior gives a distinction to the building, the interior is arranged especially for the purposes of a shoe store and the windows are among the most attractive in the city. There is much more space in the new building than in the one formerly occupied, that being one of the reasons the firm moved from the building that had been its home for so long. The line of shoes handled by McRae-Grimland are known as quality shoes wherever sold and Mr. McRae and Mr. Grimland themselves are among the best known shoe men in the state.

Wardrobe Will Open for Business Today at 621 Austin Ave.

"The Wardrobe," Waco's newest exclusive store for gentlemen, will open its doors for business at 8 o'clock this morning. The quarters at 621 Austin avenue have been entirely remodeled for the purposes of the new store, which will make a specialty of high class wearing apparel for men. The proprietors announce that their business will be carried on strictly on a cash basis. As an opening attraction, a special sale of new, up-to-date hats will be held today, hats valued at \$2 being sold at 95 cents each. The public is invited to visit the new store today and courteous treatment and the best of service is promised to all.

Santa Fe

Farmers' Special to California

FROM TEXAS OCT. 14.

Special train will stop at various points in California, where party will be entertained by local farmers.

Automobile Trips Through the Country—One Day Visiting

Grand Canyon of Arizona

Three days in and around San Diego. Boat trip on San Joaquin river, and many other trips of interest.

UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY TO SEE CALIFORNIA.

For Particulars Write, Call or Phone

Santa Fe City Ticket Office

406 Franklin St.

RECOMMENDS PAID FIRE DEPARTMENT

MAYOR SUGGESTS ACTION FOLLOWING COMPLAINT FROM STATE OFFICIAL.

MATTER REFERRED TO FIREMEN

Claim That Fire Apparatus Has Been Used for "Joy Riding" Denied by Chief Ed Bauerle.

Organizing the Waco fire department into a paid department was recommended to the city commission at the special adjourned meeting last night by Mayor Higgins, who submitted a letter from A. R. Andrews, fire insurance commissioner, in which complaint was made of the manner in which the department was being maintained. The letter was referred, by the commission, to the volunteer fire department as a whole. Mr. Andrews says, in his letter, that in order to keep the present key rate for fire insurance of 21c, the city must maintain at least thirty full paid firemen, who shall sleep at the various stations; must have a full paid first assistant chief, who shall sleep at the station, and must have Globe valves taken off of the fire hydrants. "This last matter will be attended to by Fire Commissioner Ben Richards," Mr. Andrews further says that reports have come to him that members of the Waco department have been "joy riding" on fire apparatus.

Chief Ed Bauerle of the fire department stated emphatically last night that none of the men had been joy riding with the fire apparatus since he has been chief. There are, at present, thirty-seven paid men in the department, not counting the three chiefs, he said. Of these, fifteen sleep outside of the stations, but none of them farther away than two doors and most of them next door to the stations where they are on duty.

"As soon as I get instructions from the state fire marshal that the men must sleep at the stations, I will have them do so," said Chief Bauerle. "I have already told the men to get themselves in readiness to begin sleeping at the stations, although I do not believe the plan will add any to the efficiency of the force. As to any 'joy riding' on fire apparatus, I know positively that there has been none since I have had charge of the department."

The letter from the fire insurance commissioner follows: "State Fire Insurance Commission, Austin, Texas, Sept. 23, 1915.—Hon. J. W. Higgins, Mayor, Waco, Texas: Dear Sir—A recent inspection of your city reveals the fact that the Waco fire department is not being maintained in such a manner as to give the city the most efficient service, and your attention is respectfully directed to the need of correcting the following conditions in order that the present key rate of 21c may not be disturbed:

"It is necessary that your city maintain at least thirty full paid firemen, to be paid by the city, to devote their entire time to the service, to sleep at all stations at all times, except when relieved at meal time. Waco is now receiving a credit of 3c for such service. "The size of the city requires a competent full paid first assistant chief, who shall be paid to devote his entire time to the service and sleep at the fire station. "The proportions that make necessary the services of such a man. The first assistant chief not only renders valuable assistance to the chief of the department in its business operations, but assists him at all times. When fighting one fire, should another fire break out, under such an arrangement, the chief of the department will be in a position to leave the control of one of the fires to his assistant. The department is advised that in some cases your city has not the necessary men to be relied upon to fill the vacancies of others. The department should be so trained that each man in the department should be capable of performing any of the duties incumbent upon another.

"It has been called to our attention that some of the firemen frequently ride to their meals or 'joy ride' in fire apparatus and it is felt that it would be hardly necessary that your attention be called to the importance of keeping the fire apparatus at the stations at all times solely for the purpose of answering fire alarms excepting upon filling business missions pertaining to the department. The practice of drinking should never be permitted by the men when on duty. "The office here has previously undertaken to point out the importance of removing the globe valves from your fire hydrants and that action will be necessary to maintain the key rate credit of three cents applied for such service.

"In order that the highest degree of efficiency and service may be had from any fire department, it is necessary that the city commission have full power and control over the department with absolute authority to employ or discharge firemen or transfer the men to such stations as will afford the best arrangement in the matter of purchasing and stationing apparatus, designating sites for new stations, and, in fact, to supervise wholly every phase of the fire-fighting service.

"Assuring you of our interest in anything that will tend toward the benefit of Waco and earnestly requesting your active co-operation with this office in maintaining conditions that will produce the necessity for any raise in key rate charges, we are, "Most respectfully,

"A. R. ANDREWS, "Fire Insurance Commissioner. "The mayor's recommendation, it is noted, as submitted last night, is as follows: "To the Commissioners of the City of Waco, Texas.

"Gentlemen: "I am submitting herewith a letter from the state fire insurance commissioner at Austin, which reveals the situation and unless the demands and suggestions made by the state department are complied with, it means an increase of our key rate and such increase will not only give Waco a back-set, among the cities of Texas, but will

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Increase the amount of insurance to be paid by the citizens of Waco at least \$35,000 per annum.

"I have been impressed for several years, and especially since I have been mayor, that Waco has too many governments, too many bosses, and too little getting right down to cold business. There are so many departments spending money which are not under the direct control of the city government. This condition weakens authority and discipline as is made plain by the demands made by the state fire insurance commissioner.

"Recognizing the fact that the fire department should be under the control of the city government, and that the firemen should be elected or appointed by the city government, if we want to save the key rate of 21c, we must do two things—first, change the department to a paid fire department, second, have the number of men required by the state, and comply with the rules and regulations which they prescribe. The pay roll of the fire department, under the rules prescribed by the state, should not be over \$3,000 a month, which would be greater salaries paid than by any other city in Texas. Therefore, I recommend, first, that we immediately organize a paid fire department, and in order to do this and make it efficient, it will be necessary to discontinue two fire stations. In the modern methods of motor trucks, so many stations are entirely unnecessary, and destroy the efficiency rather than increase it. Second, that in organizing the paid fire department, it will be necessary for the city to have complete control of same; elect the officers, and prescribe rules and regulations for its members. It isn't a question of what you think about it, or what you want to do, it is a question of coming into the letter submitted.

"Respectfully, "J. W. HIGGINS, "Mayor of Waco."

Rev. J. J. Grier Back; Will Fill Pulpit at Sunday Services

Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Grier returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit to relatives and friends at Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Grier was pastor of one of the Presbyterian churches at Birmingham for five years before coming to Waco. He will fill his pulpit at the Second Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

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Bearing out his assertion was his record for yesterday. 462 bales received. Prices ranged all the way from 10 3/4 to 11 3/8 with basis middling quoted at 10 7/8 cents a pound.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. M. Abell left yesterday for San Diego. M. J. Montgomery of McGregor was a Waco visitor Thursday.

C. H. Carringer, local commercial agent of the Santa Fe express yesterday at Gatesville on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Linberger have returned to Waco, after having lived in Fort Worth for some time.

G. F. Kay, traveling freight agent of the Queen and Crescent, was in the city yesterday from his headquarters at Dallas.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Bowles of 1222 Columbus street, as well as of their 12-year-old son, A. C., will regret to learn that it was necessary to operate on the latter for appendicitis. He was doing nicely last night, but the operation was a serious one.

CHAMP CLARK PRAISES T. R.

"Knows a Lot and Isn't Mealy-Mouthed," Says Speaker.

Speaker Champ Clark in a talk here at the opening of the ninth annual convention of the Missouri association of County Highway Engineers declared that Theodore Roosevelt was an "American to the core."

"I am not taking democratic politics, I know. I am not going to discuss republican politics, but I am very fond of the chief bull mooser, Colonel Roosevelt," said Clark. "He knows a little about more things than almost any man in the country and is not mealy-mouthed."

Speaker Clark said he was opposed to "peace at any price." On the other hand, he said, he was "against bankrupting the country to build battle-ships."—Hannibal, Mo., Correspondence of New York Sun.

LOCAL COURTS

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge. R. V. McClain, Clerk. J. D. Willingham vs. Mrs. Nettie B. Duncan, damages; on trial.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Munroe, Judge. R. V. McClain, Clerk. Court on vacation.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT

Erwin J. Clark, Judge. R. V. McClain, Clerk. J. W. Leonard vs. Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railway company, damages; on trial.

COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge. J. W. Baker, Clerk. E. W. Hawkins vs. Southern Traction company, damages; on trial.

JUSTICE COURTS.

Giles P. Lester, J. P. State vs. David George, violating pure food laws, jury verdict not guilty.

Marriage Licenses.

J. L. Moncrief and Mrs. Verdie Simmons. Roy Shelton and Miss Helen Cabanis. Hugh V. Calvery and Miss Connie Osborne. J. B. Harden and Miss Nancy Hallsell. Will Burt and Mary Shaw; McKinley Colton and Velma Webster.

First Presbyterian Church.

There will be a song service at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday night, September 26, at 7:30, given by the choir, who will be assisted by Miss Parsons, a visiting contralto. Miss Parsons will sing a solo, take part in a trio with Miss Minnie Johnston and Mrs. R. Spencer Wood, and give her assistance in a number of choruses by the choir. At the morning service the anthem will be "People of the Lord Are We," by E. H. Bailey.

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"Well, you ought to be glad if he follows the doctor's orders."
"Glad? Just as I was within 500 coupons of having enough to get a new set of cut glass tumblers."—Detroit Press.

The Prophet.

"Yes," said the colonel, pompously. "I am quite confident that the war will be over by October."
"What year?" asked Bilhad.
"Ah," said the colonel, "that is another question."—Judge.

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MARKET REPORT

WHEAT

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Signs of enlarged export demand had a strengthening effect today on wheat, but price gains were chiefly in December and May options. September was relatively easy owing to removal of conditions which had threatened to make immediate deliveries here difficult. The market as a whole closed strong 1/2 to 1 1/4 cent higher, with December at 95 1/2 and May at 97 1/2. Other leading staples too, all showed an advance—corn 1/4 to 1/2, oats 3/4 to 1/2 and provisions 5/8 to 3/4.

In addition to reports of export contracts, wet weather in the spring wheat states and in Canada with predictions of more rain, formed another influence against the bears. During the first part of the day, however, the market was inclined to sag, especially the September option, owing to a decision that No. 1 time contracts, although subject to a penalty if not closed.

Some increase in the movement of winter wheat was noted, Kansas City receipts exceeding last year's for the first time this season. On the other hand, shipments from Kansas City were in excess of receipts and it was the opinion of a majority of dealers here that the wheat would move only in dribs and drabs. In Kansas, Oklahoma and Nebraska it was reported more than 40 per cent of the wheat had yet been threshed.

Corn wound up higher, mainly on account of demand induced by the fact that in wheat. Local weather and the comparative smallness of the stock on hand were further elements of strength. Shorts in wheat, however, were not heavy. Offerings were small, and shipping demand rather active.

Higher prices for hogs carried provisions up graded. Outside orders were largely as follows:

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|--------|---------|----------|----------|----------|
| Wheat— | 1.05 | 1.06 1/2 | 1.03 1/2 | 1.05 1/2 |
| Sept. | .93 1/2 | .95 1/2 | .93 1/2 | .95 1/2 |
| Dec. | .96 | .97 1/2 | .96 | .97 1/2 |
| May | .97 1/2 | .98 1/2 | .97 1/2 | .98 1/2 |

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|-------|------|---------|-----|---------|
| Sept. | .71 | .71 1/2 | .71 | .71 1/2 |
| Dec. | .65 | .65 1/2 | .65 | .65 1/2 |
| May | .67 | .67 1/2 | .67 | .67 1/2 |

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|-------|------|---------|-----|---------|
| Sept. | .38 | .38 1/2 | .38 | .38 1/2 |
| Dec. | .35 | .35 1/2 | .35 | .35 1/2 |
| May | .37 | .37 1/2 | .37 | .37 1/2 |

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Sept. | .12 1/2 | .12 3/4 | .12 1/2 | .12 3/4 |
| Dec. | .12 1/2 | .12 3/4 | .12 1/2 | .12 3/4 |
| May | .12 1/2 | .12 3/4 | .12 1/2 | .12 3/4 |

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Sept. | .81 1/2 | .81 3/4 | .81 1/2 | .81 3/4 |
| Dec. | .81 1/2 | .81 3/4 | .81 1/2 | .81 3/4 |
| May | .81 1/2 | .81 3/4 | .81 1/2 | .81 3/4 |

| | Open | High | Low | Close |
|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Sept. | .82 1/2 | .82 3/4 | .82 1/2 | .82 3/4 |
| Dec. | .82 1/2 | .82 3/4 | .82 1/2 | .82 3/4 |
| May | .82 1/2 | .82 3/4 | .82 1/2 | .82 3/4 |

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low level of Monday, and nearly 3 cents above the low level of last summer.

Heavy realizing has been encountered, while there also has been a good deal of straddle selling here for Liverpool account, but offerings have been taken on moderate reactions and bullish sentiment has been encouraged by unfavorable weather, increasing confidence in small crop estimates and a tendency to increase estimates of the world's requirements. Private cables reported that prominent English statisticians estimated probable requirements of American cotton at 15,000,000 bales, which local bulls compare with crop estimates of about 12,000,000 and reports of increasing activity in the dry goods trade have encouraged the bullish view of American requirements, while exports have been larger and there has been reiterated prediction of a boom in foreign trade once the allied loan has been negotiated.

The last weekly report of the weather bureau read unfavorable. The more active demand and advances reported in southern spot markets naturally have contributed to the upward movement in futures, most of the reactionary or bearish talk heard around the ring here having been based on the rapidity of the recent advance and the increasing new crop movement.

Farmers are reported to have been selling freely on the advance in the south and it is said that a great deal of cotton is being bought on speculation attracted by improved warehouse facilities and banking accommodations.

Most cotton sold today in Waco on a basis of 11 cents for middling. Toward the close the market broke to 10 1/2.

Galveston, Sept. 24.—Middling 11.25c, receipts 11,112, sales 1225, stock 188,045.

Houston, Sept. 24.—Middling 11.15c, market steady; sales 974, f. o. b. 200.

New Orleans, Sept. 24.—Middling 11.1c, market firm; sales 800, f. o. b. 1850.

New York, Sept. 24.—Middling 11.35c, market steady; sales 200.

Liverpool, Sept. 24.—Cotton spot unchanged. Good middling 6.91, middling 6.81, lower middling 6.71, sales 15,000, speculation and export 5000, receipts 1000.

Liverpool Statistics. Liverpool, Sept. 24.—Weekly cotton statistics: Open High Low Close. 10.10 10.15 10.10 10.15.

Total forwarded to mills 70,000. American forwarded 50,000. Stock 78,000. Imports 28,000. Exports of American 17,000. Exports of other 11,000.

New York, Sept. 24.—Mercantile paper 3 1/2 to 3 3/4, per cent. Sterling, 60-day bills \$4.68, demand \$4.70, cables \$4.82.

Barr silver 49 1/2. Mexican dollars 38 1/2. Bonds steady; railroad bonds strong.

Time loans steady; 60-day loans 2 1/2 to 2 3/4, per cent. 90-day loans 2 3/4 to 3, per cent. Call money steady; high 2, low 1 1/2, ruling rate 2, last loan 2, closing bid 1 1/2, offered at 2 per cent.

COTTON SEED OIL. New Orleans, Sept. 24.—There was a big trade in cotton seed oil today, and, owing to the strength of land and cotton as well as crude oil, the market scored material advances, closing 12 to 20 points higher. Commission houses and large buyers and consuming trade better. Sales 27,000 barrels.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW. New York, Sept. 24.—Bradstreet's review for the week ending Sept. 18, 1915, says: Trade currents are running more freely than heretofore, owing to the fact that the cumulative tide of pessimism has been somewhat relieved, and the brighter aspect of the future and international political and financial matters apparently have assumed more pleasant aspects, although negotiations for the huge British-French loan have not been entirely completed as yet.

Three forces loomed largely in the week's expansion—cold weather, higher prices for cotton and foreign orders for munitions of war. The first named factor, coupled with the fact that the week's takings of American cotton for the week ended Sept. 18, 1915, were not large, was a net advance of 12 to 17 points.

The market opened at the advance and rose 18 to 19 points in the early trading, buying being based on sensationally poor crop reports from Texas, reports of higher spot markets in the Liverpool market. At no time were prices below the level of yesterday's close.

Sold-out bulls worked for a reaction and claimed the market was overbought, but longer periods of telegrams from the interior saying buyers were paying 11 1/2 basis middling for spot, whereas this market was quoted at only 11c for middling. This longer continued made the local situation healthy.

Weekly Cotton Review. New York, Sept. 24.—The cotton market has shown continued strength and activity during the past week, with January selling at 12 1/2c this afternoon, or practically a cent a pound above the

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth, Sept. 24.—Cattle receipts 2000, market active; heaves \$6@7.25, stockers \$6@6.75, cows \$3.25@6.50, heifers \$4.50@8.10, bulls \$4.25@5.25, calves \$4.25@7.75. Hog receipts 2000, market 10 cents higher, light \$7.70@7.75, medium \$7.50@7.75, heavy \$7.45@7.50, hogs \$7.50@7.75, pigs \$4.25@5.25, culls \$3.25@4.25, sheep receipts 25, market steady; lambs \$7.50@8.00, yearlings \$6@7.00, wethers \$5.75@6.00, ewes \$5.25@5.75, culls \$3.25@4.25, goats \$2.50@3.75. Sales of cattle in the local yards today were reported as follows:

| | Av. wt. Price. |
|------------------------------|----------------|
| 26 steer heifers..... | 468 \$8.10 |
| W. C. Gilbert, Nemo..... | 696 5.50 |
| 27 steer heifers..... | 1014 6.75 |
| W. L. Christian, Berwyn..... | 599 9.40 |

Kansas City, Sept. 24.—Hog receipts 3200, market higher; bulk of sales \$7.25@8.00, heavy \$7.80, light \$7.25@8.10, pigs \$7.75@7.75. Cattle receipts 500, market steady; native beef steers \$7.50@10.00, dressed beef steers \$7.80@9.40, southern steers \$5.50@7.75, culls \$4.75@5.00, hogs \$5.50@6.50, yearlings \$5.50@6.50, wethers \$5.50@6.50, ewes \$5.25@6.00.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—Hog receipts 2500, market higher; bulk of sales \$7.50@8.00, mixed and butchers \$7.50@8.00, heavy \$7.40@8.00. Cattle receipts 2700, market steady; native beef steers \$7.50@10.25, yearling steers and heifers \$8.50@10.00, cows \$6.50@8.00, stockers and feeders \$6.50@8.25, Texas and Indian steers \$2.50@8.25, cows and heifers \$1.50@8.50, native calves \$6.00@11.00. Sheep receipts 2000, market steady; lambs \$8.50@9.50, sheep and ewes \$5@7.75.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Hog receipts 11,000, market easy; higher; bulk of sales \$7.50@8.15, light \$7.50@8.15, pigs \$7.50@8.15. Cattle receipts 1000, market firm; native beef cattle \$6.00@10.40, western steers \$6.50@8.50, cows and heifers \$2.50@8.25, calves \$7.25@11.00. Sheep receipts 12,000, market strong; wethers \$5.50@6.45, ewes \$3.25@5.75, lambs \$5.50@6.00.

BOSTON WOOL. Boston, Sept. 24.—Wool buyers have shown a disposition to mark time this week and with the exception of one or two houses the trade reports a very dull week. Overshadowing everything else has been the uncertainty with reference to how much cross-bred wool might be shipped to this country from England and her colonies. To any remarkable degree, although there is a disposition to make a trading concession for the sake of doing business, Kentucky and New Zealand wool, unwashed 35c, 3/4-blood unwashed 37@38c. Scoured basis Texas, fine 12-months 65@70c; fine 8-months 60@65c.

HESTER'S WEEKLY STATEMENT. (Comparisons are to actual dates, not to close of corresponding weeks.)

| | In Sight— |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Same 7 days last year..... | 385,000 |
| Same 7 days before..... | 194,000 |
| Same 7 days before..... | 433,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 402,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 502,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,181,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,202,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 565,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,695,000 |

| | Port Receipts— |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|
| For season..... | 729,000 |
| For season..... | 278,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,210,000 |
| Overland to mills and Canada..... | 40,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 13,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 25,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 34,000 |
| For season..... | 412,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 74,000 |
| For season..... | 23,000 |
| For season..... | 20,000 |
| For season..... | 146,000 |
| For season..... | 125,000 |

| | Spinnings Takings. |
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| Hester's statement of spinnings takings of American cotton throughout the world..... | 183,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 127,000 |
| Same 7 days before..... | 213,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,601,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,202,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 327,000 |

| | Visible Supply. |
|---|-----------------|
| Hester's statement of world's visible supply..... | 4,016,000 |
| Last week..... | 3,831,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 2,841,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 2,949,000 |
| Of this the total American..... | 2,852,000 |
| Last week..... | 2,673,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,603,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,133,000 |
| Last week..... | 1,131,000 |
| Same date last year..... | 1,246,000 |
| Year before..... | 891,000 |
| Visible in U. S...... | 1,465,000 |
| This date last year..... | 562,000 |
| Visible in other countries..... | 2,551,000 |
| This date last year..... | 2,390,000 |

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SANGERS' FALL OPENING IS A WONDERFUL DISPLAY

Fall Fashion Festival and Showing of Latest Creations by Expert Living Models Draw Large Crowds, Not Only from Waco, but from All Over Central Texas. Misses Hoffmann to Give Late Dances Tonight.

Nothing less than the term "Fall Fashion Festival" is applicable to the marvelous showing of fall goods in every department of Sanger Brothers' big store. Taretinging skies and light showers had but little effect on the formal fall opening yesterday, the aisles of the store being filled with shoppers all day long, and the exhibition of expert living models being witnessed by capacity crowds.

In the windows along Austin avenue and on Fourth street, an elaborate display has been made of the fashions of the moment, for men, women and children. For several months the head window decorator, O. K. Payne, has been studying out the details of the artistic arrangement, which, with the assistance of Carl Sauts and Fred Sullivan, he has worked out as to make a display, such as would naturally be expected only in the larger cities of the nation. The fact that the Sanger window is the second longest window in the United States, allowed considerable latitude for the decorators.

The holiday atmosphere, so fittingly created by the magnificent window display, pervades the entire store, everywhere showing that careful work and much study had resulted in its preparation for Sanger's great annual event. It is something of an achievement to put such a display on an entire department, but one that has been made at Sanger's, as will be testified to by anyone who visited the establishment yesterday. The fall opening, which started yesterday, will continue through today and tonight.

Store in Gala Attire.

Every department of the big store is displaying the very latest models in the character of goods it handles. Probably the millinery and ready-to-wear sections on the second floor were the most popular but the throngs always found at Sanger's annual fall opening, were more or less impartial, and the courteous corps of clerks were kept busy in the men's clothing, shoe, ribbon, hosiery, dress trimmings, glove and, in fact, every department on all three floors of the big Waco department store.

One feature of the Fall Fashion Festival that the people of Waco and Central Texas have learned to look forward to is the wonderful display of the season's finest styles in millinery. Brought to Texas from New York City by Sanger Brothers of Waco and Dallas. Five of these models appeared yesterday, but there were so many costumes which it was desired should be shown that another model, still in Dallas, was sent for last night, and there will be six of them working here today.

The promenade room has been made into a beautiful auditorium, a thousand seats having been arranged around the promenade and twenty-four large electric ceiling fans installed, so as to give plenty of ventilation. Rugs of handsome hues and designs are hung along the walls, while smilax, autumn leaves and beautiful flowers give a woodland effect to the entire scene.

Showing of Living Models.

The living models appeared yesterday from 9:45 to 11:45 a. m.; from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m.; and from 7:15 to 9:15 p. m. yesterday. There will be but two showings by them today, from 9:15 to 11:45 a. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. In addition to the modeling tonight, the Misses Hoffmann, who have just completed a course of dancing under Mrs. John Priestly Hart of Dallas, will appear in some of the latest popular dances. Mrs. Hart is a graduate of Louis Chalif, Imperial Russian Ballet; the Vernon Castle Normal school of New York; the Elizabeth Menzies school of dancing, and Mr. Foster, teacher of the American colony in Paris and originator of the opera dances.

What costumes and hats are the models wearing is a question that every woman wants answered. Among the dresses and bonnets worn by the models yesterday, the following may well be mentioned.

A Lanolin suit model in field mouse of peau de soie in jaunty belted effect, edged with Hudson seal and with full pleated skirt, drew many exclamations of delight from the assemblage yesterday afternoon which not only occupied all the thousand seats but filled the ledges at the back of the room. One of the most beautiful hats shown was a Kurzman model, a fascinating hat of gold lace, draped with gold maline which draped over the edge of the hat just enough to shade the eyes. The trimming is a bunch of blue velvet acorns.

Some of Dresses and Hats.

A Pairlet suit model of blue broadcloth in smart Russian style with accordeon pleated skirt, also proved popular. In fact, the assortment of styles in the suit department is too large and too varied to attempt a detailed description. To really appreciate their richness and exquisite beauty it is necessary to see them modeled by the expert living models as in this way every detail of the remarkable grace and beauty that the designers have put into the fall suits is revealed.

Most attractive is the showing of clever afternoon dresses of Georgette crepe and serge, also beautiful dresses in satin combinations in Princess and Redingote models. The exclusiveness and distinctiveness of these dresses is apparent at a glance, but they are most beautiful beneath the pretty lighting system of the promenade room.

A Lanolin model of pompadour faille with accented puff on hips and flounce of gold lace was another pretty dress that appeared on the promenade. The bodice of this handsome garment is of the directoire period. The roses in the fabric are outlined with gold thread and all in all it is a very picturesque dress.

Another model dress fashioned by Pairlet is made with Haque blue metallic brocade of the Moyaen bodice and chiffon velvet skirt of black. It is a stunning creation.

Still another wonderful creation is a Lucille model of pink Gros de Londres in full circular skirt with scalloped bottom skirt and bodice in Zouave style elaborately hand embroidered in silver threads in rose design.

The suits are all of snappy lengths, the Russian influence predominating with the flare from the hips and the box models are also much in evidence. Furs are extensively used as trimmings as well as flat braids.

One of the most marvelous gowns is a Paquin reception dress of Birge chiffon velvet in princess style with full circular skirt, edged with fur. The Paquin black lace dress with Haque blue sequence is also very charming.

As a special feature of the junior department display a showing is made of intermediate dresses for the girl 12 to 16 years of age. These beautiful girlish models are especially designated for the growing girl who is usually so hard to fit, the girl who has outgrown her years, yet who must be attired in girlish fashions. These dresses are an innovation and they won the approval of all who viewed them.

A remarkable thing is the individuality of the styles in both suits and dresses. One of the pretty hats shown is a Beudel model of black panne, trimmed only with a bow of ermine. Still another is the Waters model of black velvet with wonderful lines showing a double brim trimmed with immense sprays of white burnt goose feathers on either side.

A Francois model in the Priscilla shape with high crown and flat brim, trimmed with three severe bands around the crown and a clever ostrich plume at the front, also attracted much favorable comment.

Other Towns Represented.

There were literally hundreds of enchanting hats in the millinery department and the exclusive shapes and styles made that section a gathering place for the women of all central Texas.

The new footwear for women and misses, which show unusual beauty in design, shape and trimming; the myriad styles in hosiery, gloves and all dress accessories, play a very prominent part in the display of fall fashions. Other articles that might be mentioned are the handkerchiefs, the lovely dresses of silks and wool fabrics, the wash goods, the household linens, the rugs and draperies, the beautiful cut glass, silverware, toilet goods, handkerchiefs, all in separate departments and all presenting the most beautiful of Dame Fashion's fads and fancies.

A distinguishing feature of the crowds yesterday was that they were not only from Waco but from many nearby towns and the adjacent trade territory. The attendance yesterday is proof enough of the high standing of Sanger Brothers' establishment among the people of this portion of the state.

At one time last night the promenade room was so crowded that it was necessary to stop the elevators until some of those present had left. Not only were all the seats taken, but several hundred people stood. As the closing feature, one of the most beautiful models appeared garbed in a costume composed of an American flag, carrying a white dove of peace on her hand, while Alessandro's orchestra, which furnished the music, played the "Star-Spangled Banner," the entire audience rising out of respect to the national anthem.

Chas. Parker

Special summer courses in Cornet, Trombone and Strained Instruments during June, July and August. New Studio 508 1-2 Franklin street. New and second-hand instruments for sale. New phone 1137.—Adv.

Let Flood Plumbing Co. furnish figures on piping your house for natural gas heating. Phones 306.—Adv.

Notice.



A called meeting of Waco Lodge No. 92 A. F. and A. M. will be held in the Masonic Temple corner Fifth and Washington Sts., tonight at 8 o'clock. A master's degree will be conferred by the Thirty-third Degree Scottish Rite Masons of Dallas. A cordial invitation is extended to all Master Masons. Refreshments will be served after the degree. OSCAR C. GRIFFIN, W. M. W. F. QUEBE, Sec.



Misses Fay and Bird Hoffmann Will Present Some of the New Dances in Connection With the Style Exhibit at the Sanger Store Tonight

It is with a great deal of pleasure that we announce this special feature in connection with the Sanger Style Show. The Misses Hoffman have just completed a course of dancing under Mrs. John Priestly Hart, who is a graduate of Louis Chalif of New York City; Mr. Chalif is a graduate of the Imperial Russian Ballet, as well as of the Vernon Castle Normal School of New York. Some of the newest dances will be presented tonight by the Misses Hoffmann, presenting a fitting climax to the most brilliant Fashion Exhibition Waco has ever known.

THE TRIUMPHANT Formal Opening and Style Show of 1915 The Crowning Success in the History of These Events

Dame Fashion in all her glory reigns supreme throughout the entire store. Not a detail, not a style, not a single thing that could possibly add to the beauty and grandeur of an occasion of this kind has been overlooked. Amid the strains of sweet music hundreds of Waco people and people from all parts of Central Texas are viewing the beautiful apparel—Millinery, Dresses, Suits, Gowns—as well as charming materials from which to fashion these garments, and all the dress accessories and other items of apparel which go to make up the Fads and Fancies of Dame Fashion. It is truly a festival of Fall Fashions. A Style Show that places the Sanger Store in a class to itself and emphasizes in an undeniable manner its supremacy.

Living Models Will Appear on the Promenade This Morning from 9:45 to 11:45 and Tonight from 7 to 9 O'clock

The great Promenade Room will seat over one thousand comfortably and five performances were arranged for in order that the throngs who are attending these exhibitions may see as many of the beautiful Gowns, Suits, Costumes and Hats modeled as possible. There are of course many beautiful Dresses, Suits, Gowns, Costumes and Hats that cannot be modeled because of the fact that it would require a week of performances to model them all, but the display facilities of this store make it possible for you to pass from one section of the great apparel department to the other and inspect them all at your leisure.

Our Cordial Invitation to Visit the Style Show and Formal Fall Opening Is Extended to All

We want other merchants and those engaged in other stores to feel no hesitancy about visiting the Sanger Store during the Formal Fall Opening and Style Show, we want you to feel that you are welcome here and that we will appreciate a visit from you at any time and especially during the Style Show and Formal Opening.

Sanger Brothers

Circus Picture at Children's Matinee

Hippodrome Will Give High Class Exhibition of "The Flying Twins" This Morning.

The special picture selected to entertain the children at the Hippodrome theatre this morning between 10 o'clock and noon tells the story of a circus. The title is "The Flying Twins." Harry LaPearl, the world-

famous clown, and other children's favorites will appear.

Madeline and Marion Fairbanks, the two lovely young sisters who have attained new prominence with Edwin Thanhouser's announcement that they would have the principal roles in that motion picture genius' four-act Mutual master picture, "The Flying Twins." These two beautiful little girls have long been favorites with the motion picture fans, as was amply demonstrated by the popularity of "Fairy Fern Seed," in which they

starred. The twins have been following the Mutual master pictures with intense interest and were delighted when informed that they were to have stellar parts in one of these famous feature releases.

Edwin Thanhouser showed "good horse sense," as the saying is, when he produced "The Flying Twins" and released it at this time, for the summer is the heyday of the circus. Scenes in "The Flying Twins" show the inside, outside and all sides of a circus and in the course of a thrilling story give an audience an opportunity to see the workings of the world that

surrounds the sawdust ring. Mr. Thanhouser's judgment as to the time to release this master picture, in which the beautiful Thanhouser twins, Madeline and Marion Fairbanks, are featured, has been amply vindicated, for this four-part feature has proved a drawing card wherever shown.

Notice

All automobile owners are requested to notice the many cars now equipped with Ajax Tires. Ask any owner about the mileage they give.